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ROLL OF HONOUR.

BAKER—October 20, 1918, died of wounds, Walter Henry, Lieutenant, M.G.C., only son of Rev. H. J. and Mrs. Baker, Glenealy Rectory, Co. Wicklow.

COOPER—October 2, 1918, killed in action, Captain Maurice Lea Cooper, D.F.C., R.A.F., aged 29 years and 9 months, dearly-beloved and only son of John Hall Cooper and Mrs. Cooper, 24 Herbert Park, Dublin.

KNIGHT ROCHE—September 28, 1918, killed in action, Edmond Joseph, Leinster Regiment, aged 22 years, dearly-loved son of the late Thomas Knight Roche, Assistant, Stillorgan, and Mrs. Knight Roche, Halcyon, Anglesea rd. R.I.P.

LOCKE—October 10, 1918, Captain Harold Locke, in the discharge of his military duty. "He walked with God, and he was not, for God took him."

McGILLYCUDDY—October 20, 1918, at Havre, of pneumonia, Major R. H. McGillycuddy, M.C., R.A.M.C., younger son of The McGillycuddy of the Reeks and Madam McGillycuddy, and beloved husband of Ethel McGillycuddy. Kerry papers please copy.

PEDLOW—October 12, 1918, killed instantly by a German shell, Captain William Pedlow, M.C., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, only and much-loved son of William Pedlow, Senior Inspector of Schools, Dublin.

RUTHERFOORD—October 18, 1918, of malaria, on active service abroad, Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Corry Rutherfoord, Indian Medical Service, second son of the late Thomas Brownly Rutherfoord, of Monkstown, in his 40th year.

STENNING—September 30, 1918, killed in action, Frederick L. G., Private, Royal Munster Fusiliers, aged 20 years and 8 months, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Stenning, Inishannon, Co. Cork.

WILCOX—October 21, 1918, at King George's Hospital, of pneumonia, Sergeant Thomas Wilcox, M.F. Police, aged 37 years, to the inexpressible grief of his wife, sister, and three little children. Funeral from hospital at 2 p.m. to-day (Thursday). "So shall the music of His name Refresh my soul in death."

WILLIAMS—October 15, 1918, killed in action, Second Lieutenant Gerald L. Williams, M.C., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, only son of the late Thomas Williams, Ballinahon House, Ashford, Co. Wicklow, and Mrs. Williams, 32 Chandos rd., Harrow, Middlesex.

IN MEMORIAM.

PRINCE-SMITH—In proud and ever-present memory of my dearly-loved husband, Lieutenant Joseph P. Prince-Smith, Royal Dublin Fusiliers and R.A.F.C., killed in action, in France, October 24th, 1917. R.I.P. "Thy will be done."—

BIRTHS.

BINGHAM—October 18, 1918, at Denmark House, 57 Lower Leeson st., to Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bingham, 40 Cardiff rd., a daughter.

HILLS—October 17, 1918, at Chief Steward's House, Trinity College, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. Hills, a daughter.

NOLAN—October 14, 1918, at 7 North Frederick st., Dublin, the wife of Dr. T. J. Nolan, of a daughter.

STEWART—October 4, 1918, at Carolina, South Africa, the wife of Captain H. J. Stewart, M.B., of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BERGIN and PURCELL—October 23, 1918, at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. Father Farrel, P.P., assisted by the Rev. Father O'Rourke, and Rev. J. O'Rourke, and Rev. J. P.P. of Ballybrittas, John James, son of the late James Bergin and Mrs. Bergin, of "Maybrook," Athy, to Kathleen, second daughter of the late John Purcell and Mrs. Purcell, of Coolenoule House, Ballickmoyler, Carlow. No cards.

BOYCE and O'REILLY—On Tuesday, October 22, 1918, at St. Kevin's, Dublin (Catholic University Church), by Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Workman, M.C., Senior Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Overseas Military Forces of Canada, Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Boyce, O.B.E., Canadian Army Medical Corps, to Mrs. O'Reilly, widow of the late Mr. Richard O'Reilly, Quebec and Washington.

CONNOLLY and BAYLY—October 21, 1918, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, by the Rev. J. Percy Phair, M.A., Lieutenant-Commander Robert Sibthorpe Connolly, son of Rev. Robert J. C. Connolly, M.A., to Helen, widow of the late George Bayly, M.I.C.E., Tolka, Finglas, and 16 Harcourt st., and youngest daughter of the late William Mair, Willmount, Cork.

EARLE and GLOVER—October 17, 1918, at the Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, by the Rev. E. H. Lewis-Crosby, B.D., John Henry (Canadian Expeditionary Forces), younger son of Edward Earle, to Sophie, youngest daughter of the late Joseph E. Glover and Mrs. Glover, 30 Kenilworth sq., Rathmines.

McDONOGH and STOREY—October 21, 1918, at St. Stephen's Church, Mount st., Dublin, by the Rev. J. L. L. Oulton, M.A., Charles L. McDonogh, Captain R.A.M.C., of Kylemore, Bray, to Mabel B. Storey, of The Mount, Arklow.

O'NEILL and QUIRKE—October 17, 1918, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Piltown, by the Rev. D. Brennan, C.C., Callan (cousin of the bride), assisted by the Rev. T. Phelan, P.P., Piltown, the Rev. P. Gusack, P.P., Powerstown, the Rev. P. Burke, C.C., Rathgormack, the Rev. C. O'Neill, C.C., Ossory, and the Rev. J. Clohosey, C.C., Templeorum, John O'Neill, Lisronagh House, Co. Tipperary, to Mary Leonie Gertrude, youngest daughter of Doctor and Mrs. Quirke, The Villa, Piltown, Co. Kilkenny.

STEPHENS and MICHEL—October 3, 1918, at Vincennes, France, Herbert Stanley, Lieutenant, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, third son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Stephens, 25 Harcourt st., Dublin, to Alice, younger daughter of the late Monsieur Michel, Officier de la Légion d'Honneur, Commandant d'Artillerie, and of Madame Michel, Vincennes, Paris.

DEATHS.

ABRAHAM—October 22, 1918, at Boley, Shillelagh, Kate, widow of the late Joseph Abraham. Deeply regretted. Funeral to-day (Thursday) to Aghold at 12 o'clock. Office and High Mass later.

BANIM—October 22, 1918, at his father's residence, 25 Marrowbone lane, George J. Banim, eldest and dearly loved son of John and the late Rose Banim, aged 27 years. R.I.P. Deeply and sincerely regretted by his wife, child, father, sisters, and large circle of friends. Funeral from his residence at 12.30 to-morrow (Friday) for Glasnevin Cemetery. American papers please copy.

BARRY—October 23, 1918, at Dromroe, Plassy, Limerick, beloved wife of William Barry, Shannon View, Limerick. R.I.P. Funeral, 11 o'clock, to-morrow (Friday) from St. Patrick's Church, Limerick.

BUCHANAN—October 22, 1918, at 4 Alexander terrace, Dungannon, Co. Tyrone, Isabella, wife of William J. Buchanan. Funeral this (Thursday) morning, at 11 o'clock.

BUDD-DOYLE—October 18, 1918, John Albert, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Budd-Doyle, of bronchial pneumonia, aged 1 year 3 months. "Jesus said suffer little children unto Him."

CAMPION—October 23, 1918, Mary, dearly-beloved wife of John Alfred Campion, of Woodville, St. Lawrence rd., Clontarf. Funeral private.

LARRY—At Wilton Cottage, Lower Baggot st., Robert John, second eldest son of the late Edward Larry. Funeral this (Thursday) morning to Mount Jerome at 10.30.

MAY—October 22, 1918, at Abbeyleix, Sarah May, aged 66 years.

DOYLE—October 21, 1918, at the residence of her niece (Dorcas Sixsmith, Carnew), Phœbe Doyle, widow of John Rupert Doyle, aged 80 years. Funeral, 11 a.m., to-day (Thursday).

EMERSON—Suddenly, at his residence, Killone House, Enniscorthy, Portarlington, John Joseph North Emerson, M.D., fourth son of the late John Emerson, of Deerpark, Ballycumber, King's Co. Deeply regretted by his loving sisters and brothers. Funeral Friday at 2.30 to-day.

EVANS—October 23, 1918, at the residence of her daughter, F. A. Shea, 30 Annesley Park, Rathmines, Elizabeth J., widow of George Evans, late of Detroit, U.S.A., and Dublin, youngest daughter of the late James Nicholson, Drummannon, Co. Armagh. Funeral to-morrow (Friday), for Mount Jerome.

FRIZZELLE—October 12, 1918, at Clooneen, Co. Sligo, Annie, widow of the late Edward Frizzelle.

HAMILTON—October 22, 1918, at Castleblayney, Richard M. Hamilton, V.S. Funeral to-day (Thursday) at 12 o'clock, to First Castleblayney Burying Ground.

KERRIGAN—October 21, 1918, Patrick Kerrigan, of 45 Chelmsford rd. Funeral private.

LARMON—October, 1918, at Private Hospital, of pneumonia, three youngest darling and dearly-loved children of Christopher and Kathleen Larmon, Merrion—Josephine, October 14th, aged 5 months; Lilly, October 20th, 4 years; Kathleen, October 23rd, 5 years, to the great grief of their sorrowing parents. Funerals (private) at Dean's Grange.

MILLS—October 23, 1918, John Mills, Ballynacarrigy, aged 76 years. Funeral to Kilbixy Cemetery, 12 o'clock, to-morrow (Friday) 25th.

MULLIGAN—October 23, 1918, Samuel Michael, son of Alex. Mulligan, 16 Newport st., aged 28 years. Funeral from Cork st. Hospital, 10 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) to Mount Jerome.

NORMAN—October 11, 1918, at Johannesburg, South Africa, from pneumonia, Robert Norman, son-in-law, eldest son of John and Marion Norman, Newtown, Tramore.

PARKER—October 22, 1918, at the Royal Hospital, Donnybrook, Ernest, the beloved husband of Ellen Parker. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, children, and sisters. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral from Hospital, 10 o'clock sharp, this (Thursday) morning to Mount Jerome.

SWEENEY—October 22, 1918, at her residence, Edentubber place, Dundalk, Elizabeth Sweeney, wife of Sergeant Joseph Sweeney, R.I.C. R.I.P. Deeply regretted. Funeral to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Dundalk, at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Friday), 25th.

TIER—October 23, 1918, at her residence, Kilmore House, Trim, Julia Mary Tier, relict of the late Bernard Tier, aged 57 years. R.I.P. Office and High Mass at St. Patrick's Church, Trim, to-morrow (Friday) at 11.30 o'clock. Funeral to Newtown Cemetery same day, 2 o'clock. No flowers.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT COLUMN.)

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO-DAY, 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

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TOTHILL—October 23, 1918, at 84 Lower Gardiner st., Annie, wife of Frank Tothill (late H.M. Coast Guards). Funeral from Lourdes Chapel to-morrow (Friday), at 11 o'clock.

TURNER—October 23, 1918, at Earl st., Longford, Harold Irvine, dearly-beloved husband of Alice Turner, and son of the late Robert J. Turner, of Longford, and of Mrs. Turner, 111 Ulsterville av., Belfast. Funeral arrangements later.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Thomas Donnelly, brothers, and sisters, 47 Fairview Strand, wish to return thanks to all those who sent telegrams and letters of sympathy on the occasion of their recent sad bereavement, and hope they will accept this as an acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply to each one individually.

Mr. and **Mrs. Henry Doyle** and family, Island Bridge Lodge, Phoenix Park, desire to return their sincere thanks to all kind friends who sent messages of sympathy on the death of their son, who perished on the Leinster. As it would be impossible to reply personally in each case they trust this acknowledgment will be accepted.

Mrs. and **Miss Foley, Mr. William Barrett, Mr.** and **Mrs. T. Bissette**, and the children of the late Thomas and Charlotte Foley, return sincere thanks to all who so kindly sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, and hope that this notice will be accepted, as the letters and telegrams were too numerous to answer individually.

Mrs., Miss, and **Mr. Hynes** and family wish to return sincere thanks for the kind messages of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement, and trust this acknowledgment will be accepted.

Mr. and **Mrs. Edward Lee** and family are deeply grateful to the very many kind friends who called and sent telegrams and letters, expressing sympathy with them in their great sorrow and bereavement, and trust this acknowledgment will be accepted, as it would be impossible, owing to the great number received, to reply personally to each.

On behalf of **Messrs. Makbar, Ltd.**, New st., Dublin (formerly Barmak, Ltd.), the directors of the company wish to thank all friends for their kind sympathy in the sad loss of Mr. Makin, Senior, Managing Director, who lost his life on the ss. Leinster.—Ernest Makin, Junior, Manager.

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Mr. and **Mrs. T. F. Meagher** and family wish to return sincere thanks to their many friends for their kind sympathy in their recent sorrow.

Mr. and **Mrs. George Wilson**, 22 Iona Park, desire to return their sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly sent them messages of sympathy on the occasion of the death of Mr. Ralph Fetherston (Mrs. Wilson's brother), and ask them to please accept this acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

SHIER—In loving memory of John Shier, Shanid View, Shanagolden, Co. Limerick, who died October 24th, 1917.

TIMPSON—In memory of Eliza Letitia Timpson (née Parker), Dame st. and Charlemont tce., Dublin, who died at 38 Alliance av., Cliftonville, Belfast, on 24th October, 1917, aged 76 years, and having been married 51 years and 10 months, loving wife of William Timpson, formerly of Wexford, and Mayor in 1876.

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WANTED, a good Yard and General Farm Hand; ploughman, etc. Apply Steward, Fort Frederic, Virginia, Co. Cavan.

WANTED, respectable Boy, to mind pony and trap, care some cattle, and make himself generally useful; state wages, to live inside.—"Z 348, Boy," this office.

WANTED, Yard and General Man; must be good milker; married; wages, house and 24/- weekly; well recommended.—"Z 360, Man," this office.

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WANTED, for Co. Tipperary, good Cook Housekeeper for priest; must be good housemaid. Apply immediately, Irish Times Registry.

WANTED immediately, young Cook General, R.C.; milk one cow; good papers; wages £20; housemaid kept. Apply Mr. Fleming, Greenfield, Stillorgan road, Donnybrook.

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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of DAVID ROBERTSON, late of No. 3 Lindsay road, Glasnevin, in the County of the City of Dublin, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate or assets of the said David Robertson, deceased, who died on the 28th day of April, 1918, are hereby required, on or before the 2nd day of November, 1918, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to Samuel Pierce Preston, of No. 8 Iona Crescent, Glasnevin, in the County of the City of Dublin, the Administrator of said deceased, to whom Administration of the Estate of said deceased has been granted in the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Ireland, on the 1st day of July, 1918, or to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said Administrator, and, in default thereof, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1918.

WM. FINDLATER and CO., Solicitors for the said Samuel Pierce Preston, Chambers, No. 53 Dame street, Dublin.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

LADY BROOKE, late of Ashbrooke, in the County of Fermanagh, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above Deceased are requested to furnish full particulars of such claims immediately to the Executors.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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Owing to the prevalence of the Influenza Epidemic, the Authorities of the Catholic University School, acting on Medical Advice, have decided to Close the School until further Notice.

WOMEN'S WORK, S.P.G.

THE ANNUAL MEETING ARRANGED FOR OCTOBER 30, HAS BEEN POSTPONED OWING TO INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

SUDAN UNITED MISSION
DUBLIN BRANCH.
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Speaker—REV. C. L. WHITMAN, B.A., From the Sudan.
LIMELIGHT VIEWS WILL BE SHOWN.

NOTICE.

From 1st November, 1918, to 31st January, 1919, the DUBLIN CEMETERIES COMMITTEE'S Offices shall be Closed on Week days at 4 p.m. (Saturdays, 2 p.m.).

(By Order) JOHN O'CONNELL, Secretary.
22nd October, 1918.

SS. "DUNDALK" DISASTER

AT A PUBLIC MEETING IN DUNDALK, over which His Eminence Cardinal Logue presided, a Subscription List was Opened for the Widows, Orphans, and Dependents of the 19 members of the crew of the ss. "Dundalk," who lost their lives through the sinking of the ship in the Irish Sea by a German submarine.

Contributions to the Fund will be received and gratefully acknowledged by the National Bank, Dundalk, or by T. CALLAN MACARDLE, D.L., Chairman of the Fund.

EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.

THE CLOSING MEETINGS OF THE CHRISTIAN CONVENTION WILL BE HELD TO-DAY IN THE GREGG HALL, DAWSON STREET, At 3.30 and 8 o'clock.

Speakers:—Rev. Randall C. Phillips, Rev. T. C. Hammond, M.A.; Rev. J. E. Hutton, M.A.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"General Post," 7.30 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Knocknagow," 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Empire Theatre—"Trovatore," 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"In the Shadow of the Glen," "Friends," and "The Shewing Up of Blanco Posnet," 7.45 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—5.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Carlton Cinema—5.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Grafton Picture House—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Rotunda—Pictures and Varieties, 1 to 3.30 and 5.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 5.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Cosmo Bazaar—Mansion House, 4 to 10.30 p.m.
"Our Day" Red Cross Pageant—Starting from St. Stephen's Green, West, at 2.30 p.m.
"Our Day" Flag Day—To-day.
Recorder's Sessions, 11 a.m.
Port and Docks Board, 1 p.m.
The Potato Crop—Conference at the Department of Agriculture, 2 p.m.
Christian Convention—Gregg Hall, 3.30 and 8 p.m.

The Irish Times.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1918.

German Illusions.

Germany has accepted President Wilson's "fourteen points," but the Imperial Chancellor's speech in the Reichstag, which we report to-day, furnishes clear proof that Germany and the Allied Governments are not yet, as the lawyers say, *ad idem*. The "fourteen points" embody a series of concrete acts, and the Allied Governments have a unanimous conviction of the nature of those acts. Their interpretation and intention are that, in accepting the "fourteen points," Germany shall offer unconditional surrender, and shall give effective guarantees that her military power shall never again be a menace to the safety of the world. They ordain not only that an unreformed Germany can have no place at the Peace Conference, but that the war cannot end until the German spirit is thoroughly reformed. In his Reichstag speech the Imperial Chancellor shows that the German Government is not yet prepared to accept these conditions. He still wants to bargain with Powers which insist on a plain "Yes" or "No." He still talks of conferences on equal terms with Governments which are resolved to confer only with a Germany that recognises absolute defeat. For that reason the greater part of the Reichstag speech is entirely out of touch with all the facts of the military and political situations. When Prince Max of Baden says that "the German people must not blindly be brought to the Conference table," and that they have the right to ask what acceptance of Mr. Wilson's terms would mean for their future, he forgets that these questions are not for to-day, but for to-morrow, and that the Allies will concede no rights to Germany until she has made reparation for her wrong-doing. In the same spirit the Chancellor says that the League of Nations cannot be made effective until all the peoples, including Germany, have the right to "national self-determination." Germany will acquire that right on the Allies' terms—that is to say, after she has made complete surrender and is impotent for further mischief.

There is no doubt that, under the stimulus of the Allied victories, the powers that still control Germany are permitting a certain enlargement of the basis of national government. The Chancellor did his best to magnify the importance of recent and prospective reforms. A measure of equal and secret suffrage has been secured in Prussia. It is proposed to increase and extend the Chancellor's responsibilities to Parliament. It is proposed also that Parliament, instead of the Kaiser's *ipse dixit*, shall decide in future the issues of peace and war. Such concessions to democracy are not unimportant; but, in the first place, most of them are still promises rather than performances, and, in the next place, they fail utterly to satisfy Mr. Wilson's demand for the abolition of the last trace of arbitrary power in the German Government. A military bureaucracy still rules Germany, and would continue to rule it if all Prince Max's concessions were enforced to-morrow. Only the final destruction of Prussian militarism will make the German Government as democratic as those of Britain and the United States, and that—however the Chancellor may choose to evade the issue—can be secured only by the absolute defeat or unconditional surrender of the German Fleets and Armies. He was certainly dishonest in suggesting to the Reichstag that the Allies intend to enforce on the German people "forms of government in which they do not in their hearts believe." Prince Max is well aware that, when autocracy has been destroyed in Germany, the new form of democratic government will be entirely in the people's own hands, and that none of the Allied Powers has the slightest intention of interfering with it; but he seems to prefer the raising of bogeys to a candid facing of facts. How hopelessly the German Government is still out of touch with the Allied purpose is proved once more by the Chancellor's announcement of "a new mode of government in Alsace-Lorraine." He believes, or pretends to believe, that the appointment of Alsatians as Governor and Secretary of State will satisfy the Allied demand for the complete restoration of the stolen provinces to France.

The Chancellor's speech proves that Germany does not yet realise that she is beaten, and that, for the present at least, her Government and her military authorities are prepared to postpone defeat by a resolute maintenance of the war. The German High Command appears to think that the worst part of the great retreat is over, and that the German Armies will now be able to hold the Allies on the line of the Meuse. The Chancellor professes to have no doubt that Germany is "now equal to the task of either war or peace." The Allies will accept the challenge with promptitude and confidence. After this speech it will seem to most people that nothing save loss of time and the prolongation of impossible hopes in Germany can result from any further interchange of Notes between its author and President Wilson. The President's answer to this speech and to the latest German Note might well be a very brief message recommending the Chancellor to address all further communications on the subject of evacuation and armistice to Marshal Foch and to the heads of the Allied Navies. If Germany is not yet ready to accept defeat, it must be imposed on her in a way which the wiliest German diplomatist, the most arrogant German general, and the simplest German democrat cannot fail to understand. Only when Prussian militarism is dead, when Germany has evacuated every inch of Allied and Russian territory, and when she accepts whole-heartedly the Allies' interpretation of Mr. Wilson's "fourteen points," will the world be made safe for democracy. Such a victory will be worth all the sacrifices of blood and treasure that it may claim. Any less definite result would not be victory at all, and a negotiated peace would lay the foundation for more dreadful wars in the future. When Germany accepts—as, sooner or later, she must accept—Mr. Wilson's terms the Allies will agree among themselves on the details of those terms. One of the most important of such details, as Mr. Balfour reminds us to-day, will be the complete alienation from Germany of her former Colonies. That precaution is necessary not only in the general interest of civilised society, but in the special interest of "this great experiment in human organisation known as the British Empire."

Women in Parliament.

By the overwhelming majority of 274 to 25 the House of Commons yesterday adopted a resolution expressing its desire that a Bill shall be passed forthwith making women eligible as members of Parliament. Since the Government, by not putting on the Whips, decided to accept the free judgment of the House on the matter, we may assume that it will immediately introduce the Bill, and that women will be eligible to stand for Parliament at the next General Election. For all practical purposes, therefore, yesterday's momentous decision may be regarded as conclusive. The right which the House of Commons has now decided to confer on women in the United Kingdom already exists in the United States, where at the last elections one woman representative was returned to Congress—a result which may be noted by those who fear that the new privilege will lead immediately to a large membership of women in the Imperial Parliament. A decision on the question has been precipitated by the fact that several women have been adopted as candidates—all, we think, Labour candidates—for the prospective General Election; but it does not at all follow that the next House of Commons will include a single woman member. Mr. Herbert Samuel, who moved the resolution yesterday, recommended it as the natural consequences of the enfranchisement of women. He argued that, since sex was no longer a bar against citizenship, it could not be held to be a bar against women's taking part in Parliamentary life. Parliament could not say that six million women should have votes, but that not one should be a legislator. It seems to have been that appeal to logic, rather than the other arguments which Mr. Samuel brought forward as to the positive value of women in Parliament, which secured such a sweeping majority for his resolution. Even Mr. Asquith, a convinced opponent of woman suffrage, agreed that the one step inevitably involved the other, and that the second step could not be refused for any possible reason in logic or policy. Logic, however, has never been a strong point in the development of the British Constitution. The appeal to logic in this matter, indeed, is scarcely tenable; for the enfranchisement of women itself was limited to women over thirty years of age, quite illogically, and avowedly as a matter of expediency—in order to prevent the male electorate from being swamped immediately by a majority of women. The real question at issue with regard to the eligibility of women as members of Parliament is wholly one of policy. Clearly the right had to be admitted sooner or later: the only point seriously in dispute was whether it was desirable to admit it at once. Parliament has now decided in favour of immediate recognition. Its decision has the certain benefit of putting an end to an agitation which might have grown to something like the dimensions of the suffrage agitation; and we do not think that in practice this decision will involve any very large consequences in the near future.

War Bonds.

Last week's sales of War Bonds through the banks were only £23,269,578. This sum falls short by £1,730,422 of the *minimum* amount required by the Chancellor of the Exchequer; and the Treasury has issued a statement impressing upon the public that, "just as it is imperative that our military pressure shall not for one moment be relaxed until our ends are finally attained, so it is imperative that there shall be no weakening of the flow of money into the War Bonds." The Treasury does well to remind the community in such emphatic terms of the duty which rests upon it at the present time. Relaxation of the national effort is one of the objects which the enemy hope to attain by the creation of a "peace atmosphere." People who have money to buy War Bonds at this juncture and fail to buy them are simply allowing themselves to be caught in the German trap. It is to be hoped that the Treasury's warning will have the desired effect. There can be no doubt that the country is capable of a greater effort than it has yet made. In particular, there are two sections of the community from whom a more liberal response should be required. Many people who are making fortunes out of the war (including Irish farmers) have not invested in War Bonds to anything like the full extent of their resources; and it is doubtful whether the great mass of wage-earners whose incomes have been doubled or trebled during the past four years are devoting an adequate proportion of their increased earnings to the national task.

U-BOAT WARFARE.

FEWER SHIPPING LOSSES IN SEPTEMBER.

The Secretary of the Admiralty makes the following announcement:—

The losses of British, Allied, and neutral merchant tonnage due to enemy action and marine risk during the month of September, 1918, compared with preceding periods, are set out below:—

GROSS TONNAGE.

Period, 1917.	British.	Allied & Neutral.	Total.
September	209,212	159,949	369,161
Quarter	952,938	541,535	1,494,473
October	289,973	197,364	487,337
November	196,560	136,883	333,443
December	296,356	155,707	452,063
Quarter	782,889	489,954	1,272,843
1918.			
January	218,621	138,887	357,508
February	254,303	*133,646	*387,949
March	224,666	176,797	401,463
Quarter	697,590	*449,330	*1,146,920
April	*233,169	*85,412	*318,581
May	*231,787	133,203	*364,990
June	*165,550	*114,249	*279,799
Quarter	*630,506	*332,864	*963,370
July	182,524	*142,250	*324,774
August	*176,434	*151,738	*328,172
September	151,593	88,007	239,600
Quarter	510,551	381,995	892,546

*Adjusted.

LOSSES BY ENEMY ACTION.

The amount of merchant tonnage sunk by enemy action (excluding marine risk) during September was lower than any month since August, 1916, being considerably below June, the previous lowest month of this year, and also below the monthly average of 1916.

II.

The Secretary of the Ministry of Shipping makes the following announcement:—

SAILINGS TO AND FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.

The tonnage of steamships of 500 gross tons and over entering and clearing United Kingdom ports from and to ports overseas was as under:—

Period, 1918.	Gross Tons	Period, 1918.	Gross Tons
April	7,040,309	July	7,718,898
May	7,777,843	August	8,158,639
June	7,430,386	September	7,515,061

NOTE.—This statement embraces all United Kingdom seaborne traffic other than coastwise and cross-Channel.

IRISH RECRUITING.

The following are Irish recruiting figures from the 1st June up to and including yesterday; the figures in parentheses show the number required from each area:—

Dublin	2,485	(11,700)	Omagh	955	(5,700)
Belfast	3,976	(8,500)	Galway	234	(2,900)
Cork	763	(4,700)	Armagh	355	(2,400)
Limerick	571	(5,400)	Mullingar	342	(1,800)
Waterford	790	(5,200)	Sligo	179	(1,600)
Total for all Ireland	10,650	(50,000)			

The number of recruits obtained yesterday was as follows:—Dublin, 13; Belfast, 87; Cork, 11; Limerick, 7; Waterford, 11; Omagh, 12; Galway, 3; Armagh, 5; Mullingar, 1; Sligo, 0.

COLONEL LYNCH IN DONEGAL.

Colonel Lynch, M.P., arrived in Omagh yesterday (writes our Omagh Correspondent) and proceeded on a recruiting tour through County Donegal. In an interview, he said that the destinies of the world would be shaped out within the next few months on a plan which would hold good for the next 500 years, and the fate of nations would be greatly determined by their conduct during this war. These countries could do without the help of Ireland. They were winning the war without the aid of the *Sinn Feiners*, and in some cases even in the teeth of their opposition. He made an appeal to Irishmen to save the situation for Ireland by putting into the fight, even now at the last stage of the great war, a modest contribution which would enable Irishmen to say that Ireland, as a whole, had responded to the appeal of the Allies.

Col. Lynch spoke at a recruiting meeting at Ardara, Co. Donegal, last night. There was no opposition.

THE WAR AND GERMAN ATROCITIES.

An interesting lecture on the general aspects of the war and German atrocities was delivered in the Rathmines Technical Schools, Dublin, yesterday evening, by Captain Cheesewright, R.E., Adjutant, Royal Air Force.

In dealing with the general aspects of the war, the lecturer described the German spy system and the German propaganda which led up to the war. He said that until a few days ago, when Germany was warned that if she burnt and spoiled any more towns and villages in France, severest reprisals would be taken, she never had evacuated a town without first razing it to the ground. The war was not over yet, and if Germany could concentrate her forces behind the Rhine it might hang on for another year. Therefore, the calls upon the Allied resources were enormous, both in men and money. The lecturer then went on to describe in an interesting fashion the various branches of the fighting services—Navy, Artillery, Infantry, Engineers, and Air Force. In conclusion he said that Germany professed friendship for Ireland to enable her to gain her own ends, but, at the same time, she sank her passenger ships and fishing fleets with their freight of innocent Irishwomen and children.

CIVIL SERVICE RECRUITING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A statement appeared in the *Irish Times* in an account of the recruiting meeting held at the Four Courts on Monday last, that is calculated to create an erroneous impression. The Registrar is reported to have stated that there were numbers of young men in these offices who were free to join the Forces if they would only come forward now. What the Registrar said was, that there were some men in that position. The fact is that, since the beginning of the war, close on 80 men in the Land Registry have actually been serving in His Majesty's Forces, and others, who offered their services, were rejected on medical grounds. It was found impossible, if the public business was to be carried on with efficiency, to release for service all the members of the staff who expressed a wish to join the Army. As to the Registry of Deeds, 23 men from that office are now on active service. Being an old-established department, there were few men in the Deeds Office of military age available for enlistment.—Yours, etc.,

PERCY J. C. JONES,
Acting Chief Clerk.
Land Registry of Ireland, Four Courts, Dublin, October 23rd, 1918.

DEATH OF "THE SAILORS' FRIEND."

Miss Agnes Weston, "the Sailors' Friend," died yesterday morning at the Rhyl Sailors' Rest, Devonport, where she commenced her life's work. The esteemed lady, who was 78, had been ailing for some time, but her end was somewhat unexpected. Miss Wintry, the deceased's co-worker and constant friend, was present at the time of her death.

Prince Albert, accompanied by Major Gregg, flew across to France in an aeroplane yesterday, and landed on the other side.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Mr. Balfour made a pronouncement to-day to an overseas gathering that may be considered one of the events of the war, for he stated in deliberate terms that "under no circumstances was it consistent with the safety, security, and unity of the British Empire that the German Colonies should be returned to Germany." This is the first occasion that such a definite statement has been made, and it is one that will be warmly welcomed at home and in our overseas Dominions.

Prince Max's speech to the Reichstag indicates that the German junker party think the military position rather better than it was a week or two ago, and that Germany may be encouraged to fight on in the hope of securing a German peace. President Wilson has already made it clear that his terms were not to be discussed, but accepted or rejected, and in the circumstances the inference is obvious, for Prince Max demands that Germany shall discuss them on equal terms with the Allies. There is a feeling here that it is time that the exchange of these Notes should come to an end, and that the Allies might make a declaration that no point in President Wilson's programme has been honestly met by the German Government.

Another British attack and advance is reported to-day east of Le Cateau, where, for some days past, the hardest fighting on the whole of the British front has been taking place. It seems as though our forces are trying to turn and smash through the enemy's right, thereby compromising their centre, where the French are awaiting the right moment to advance. On the Allied right the United States troops are consistently hammering away at the main pivotal positions of the enemy retreat. If the weather holds fine, we may expect some interesting developments.

From Paris it is reported that the Germans, from July 15th to October 15th, have lost five thousand guns. German industry cannot replace these losses, and a scarcity of munitions is incontestable. The strictest economy is ordered by the German High Command, and certain kinds of fire which use up munitions at a heavy rate appear to have been stopped. From the American front it is also reported that the artillery fire of the enemy is the lightest since the first few months of the war, and this is regarded as an indication that enemy supplies in ammunition and material are waning. A shortage of guns and shells is certain to have a very big effect on the German *moral*, and it seems that there is a prospect of such a deficiency.

On a question by Mr. Houston in the House of Commons this afternoon there was quite a little discussion concerning the delay attending the receipt by the naval authority at Kingstown of the wireless message sent by the Leinster. Mr. Houston stated that twenty-five minutes were lost in the delivery of the message, and that there was delay in the despatch of Government vessels to the scene of the disaster. While refusing to accept the statements, Dr. Macnamara promised further inquiries.

Mr. Bonar Law was asked by Major Davies whether the Lord Milner interview represented the views of the Government, but was informed that it was well known that Ministers made speeches on their own responsibility without reference to the Cabinet. Mr. Dillon thought the matter most serious, but Mr. Bonar Law refused to be impressed, and again made it clear that Lord Milner was expressing his own personal views.

The House, having already committed itself to the extension of the Parliamentary franchise to women, could not well refuse them the further privilege of becoming members of Parliament if they could find constituencies willing to elect them. So to-night, when Mr. Herbert Samuel brought in his resolution in favour of the introduction of a Bill making them eligible as members, he met with very little real opposition. Mr. Samuel rightly spoke of the many changes which had been brought about by the war. The old narrow doctrine that woman's sphere was the home and nothing else had been given up, and she was no longer regarded as a mere adjunct to man. He believed that the House would gain, rather than lose, in strength by the admission of women. He was strongly supported by Lord Robert Cecil; and Mr. Asquith, once a consistent opponent of women's suffrage, hoped that the motion would have the unanimous assent of the House. Once women had been given votes it was inevitable that they should be given the right to be elected as members. The camel, he sagely remarked, had been swallowed, so there was no need to make a fuss about the gnat.

It is interesting to note that the Irish Government was represented in opposite lobbies in the division on the resolution in favour of admitting women to membership of the House of Commons. The Chief Secretary voted with the majority of 274 for the resolution, while the Attorney-General went with the hostile minority of 25.

It was not convenient for the Government to resume this evening proceedings on the Irish Land Bill debate on the second reading, which was adjourned on Tuesday evening. The Chief Secretary intends, however, to press the second reading almost immediately. I understand that he is not influenced by the unfavourable reception given to the measure by Irish members, because the Bill is intended not for the benefit of Irish members, but of Irish sailors and soldiers.

THE LATE SIR W. H. THOMPSON.

At a meeting of the Professors of Trinity College, Dublin (not being Fellows), held on October 21st, 1918, Regius Professor John M. Purser occupying the chair, the following resolution, proposed by Regius Professor James Sinclair Baxter, and seconded by Professor Sydney Young, was carried unanimously:—

We, the Professors of the University of Dublin, desire to express our deep regret at the deplorable loss, in the sinking of the Leinster, of our esteemed colleague, Sir W. Henry Thompson, who held the Chair of Physiology in the School of Physic for sixteen years. We wish to convey to Lady Thompson and the other members of his family our sincere sympathy in their great sorrow.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST.

The annual meeting of Convocation of Queen's University was held at the University, Belfast, yesterday, Dr. John Campbell (Chairman) presiding.

The report of the Standing Committee placed on record the fact that by the Distribution of Seats (Ireland) Act, 1918, the Queen's University had been constituted as a separate Parliamentary constituency, returning one member of Parliament. The first register of voters contained 2,039 names.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, which was passed, appealed to young medical graduates to answer the call of the country for more medical men.

AN IRISHMAN'S SUCCESS IN CHINA.

Information has reached Dublin to the effect that in addition to his post as Chief Traffic Manager, Mr. John Edward Foley, who commenced his career in the Railway Clearing House, Dublin, which he entered on the 11th June, 1874, and in which he remained for some years, has been appointed the First Chief of the Railway Clearing House of China. His promotion involves his leaving Tientsin, much to the regret of his friends in that city, and taking up his residence at Peking. The appointment is a high tribute to the estimation in which Mr. Foley has been held by the Chinese railway authorities, and reflects also creditably upon the training he must have received in the Clearing House in Dublin, where he started his career so long ago.

COCOA POWDER (NO. 2) ORDER, 1918.

The Food Controller has issued an Order entitled the Cocoa Powder (No. 2) Order, 1918, which comes into force on November 1st, and revokes, but substantially re-enacts, the Cocoa Powder Order, 1918, with various amendments.

The King held a Privy Council at Buckingham Palace yesterday to deal with matters arising out of the war.

THE "LEINSTER" RELIEF FUND.

THE "IRISH TIMES" LIST.

The Dublin Mansion House "Leinster" Relief Fund has now acknowledged, through the *Irish Times* List, a total sum of £2,290 4s. 5d. This does not include the subscriptions which we acknowledged yesterday. We have received the following further subscriptions:—

	£	s.	d.
Messrs. Baker, Wardell, and Co., Ltd., Thomas street	£50	0	0
Messrs. T. and C. Martin, Ltd., North Wall	25	0	0
Messrs. Russell Bros., Ltd., Portarlington	10	10	0
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooke	10	10	0
Messrs. Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street	10	0	0
William T. Stewart, D.L., Donnybrook	10	0	0
Col. R. T. Woods, Whitestown House, Balbriggan	10	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Jacob, Dalkey	10	0	0
Lord Rathdonnell, H.M.L.	10	0	0
Per S. Quan-Smith:—			
Scoutmaster J. P. Brunker, Officers and Boys of the 5th (Glasnevin) Troop	£2 16 6		
R. S. Yeomans, *per* J. P. Brunker	1 0 0		
Mrs. J. E. Brunker	1 0 0		
Scoutmaster R. Crawford Johnson and Boys 2nd (Blackrock) Troop	1 1 0		
In Memoriam, Francis H. Magillicuddy Eagar, killed in action September 18th, 1918	1 1 0		
Miss Riky, Kingstown	1 1 0		
"Scout's Mother"	0 5 0		
	8	4	6
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd-Hughes, 71 Lansdowne road	£5 0 0		
"Tom"	1 0 0		
"Dorothy"	1 0 0		
"Kathleen"	1 0 0		
	8	0	0
Collection taken up at the Salvation Army in Dublin and Kingstown on Sunday, October 20th, *per* H. M. Simmons	5	17	0
L. Werner, F.R.C.S.I., 31 Merrion square	5	5	0
Mrs. Bailey, 45 Northumberland road	5	5	0
William Stokes, 6 Westmoreland street	5	5	0
Walter M. Sullivan, Kingstown	5	5	0
Sir John R. O'Connell, 34 Kildare street	5	5	0
Miss Bernard, Blackrock, "In memory of Lieutenant J. McD. Bradley, R.D.F."	5	5	0
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Vandeleur, Windgate House	5	5	0
Miss Jacob, Glenageary	5	5	0
F. Dwyer, Ross's Hotel, Kingstown	5	5	0
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sheil, Ailesbury road	5	5	0
Miss E. D. Ogilvy, Glenageary Hill	5	5	0
Lewis Riall, D.L., Bray	5	5	0
Major D. L. Browne, Castlebar	5	5	0
W. J. Fennell, Athy	5	5	0
George Campbell, Howth road	5	0	0
"A. O."	5	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. E. White, 22 Fitzwilliam place	5	0	0
"M. B."	5	0	0
Lieut.-Col. J. E. Knott and Mrs. Knott, Athboy	5	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White, Limerick	5	0	0
George H. Dennehy, Stradbally	5	0	0
Mr and Mrs. Lowry, Bachelor's Lodge, Navan	5	0	0
Edmond Long, 39 Westland row	5	0	0
Miss Lee, Palmerston road	5	0	0
"In memory of Miss A. J. Lee"	5	0	0
Thomas B. Case, Foxrock	5	0	0
Lieut.-Col. Lord Clarina, Limerick	5	0	0
Major and Mrs. Cusack, Malahide	4	4	0
Francis B. Mulock, Ballycumber House	4	0	0
Victor P. Perry, Castleconnell	3	3	0
P. FitzGerald, Adare	3	3	0
Mark B. Cooper, 21 Charleston avenue	3	3	0
Edward C. Jameson, 182 Great Brunswick street	3	3	0
"J. P."	3	3	0
Mrs. F. Fleming, 69 Merrion square	3	3	0
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Beckett, Foxrock	3	3	0
Mrs. Alan Bell, Portadown	3	3	0
Miss Irene M. Stokes, Blackrock	3	3	0
R. E. Longfield, Mallow	3	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tatlow, Monkstown	3	0	0
Miss Pidgeon, Ballybrack	3	0	0
Miss C. Pidgeon, Ballybrack	3	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Carroll, Kingstown	3	0	0
"Romney"	3	0	0
G. D. Burtchaell, K.C., Morehampton road	3	0	0
Miss C. E. Perry, Shankill	3	0	0
Mrs. R. C. Rutland, Kingstown	2	12	0
Messrs. Garvey and Good, 21 Lincoln place	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McComas, Dalkey	2	2	0
Dr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Boyce, Blackrock	2	2	0
Horace L. Jones, Kingstown	2	2	0
Mrs. Armstrong, Glenageary	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Malley, Glenageary	2	2	0
Miss A. Fleury, 9 Booterstown avenue	2	2	0
Mrs. M. Rogerson, 9 Booterstown avenue	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nunn, Pembroke Park	2	2	0
Rev. N. R. and J. M. Brunskill, Oakley road	2	2	0
Mrs. C. W. Richards, Ashford	2	2	0
The Misses Doran, Bray	2	2	0
Mrs. Cowley, Cambridge terrace	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Lloyd, Killiney	2	2	0
Richard R. Leper, F.R.C.S., St. Patrick's Hospital, James's street	2	2	0
William Colquhoun, 69 Lansdowne road	2	2	0
"J. D."	2	2	0
The Countess of Caledon	2	0	0
"M. C. H.," Rathmines	2	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Turner, Royal Bank House, Terenure	2	0	0
Colonel and Mrs. G. C. Dobbs, Monkstown	2	0	0
The Misses Nolan, 8 Wellington road	2	0	0
The Misses M. and E. Nolan, 8 Wellington road	2	0	0
Mrs. Fleury, Fermoy	2	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Alton, Dartmouth road	2	0	0
The Misses Moy, Enniskerry	2	0	0
"From Phil and Daisy, Boyle"	2	0	0
Miss Ford, Kingstown	£1 1 0		
Mrs. Paget Ford, Kingstown	0 5 0		
	1	6	0
P. Burrowes Shiel, 8 Earlsfort Mansions	1	1	0
Mrs. and Miss Pollock	1	1	0
Captain R. W. Martin, Monkstown	1	1	0
R. Kent Atkinson, Monkstown	1	1	0
K. Nolan, Monkstown	1	1	0
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hynes, Dalkey	1	1	0
John G. Thompson, Dartmouth square	1	1	0
Miss J. W. Thompson, Dartmouth square	1	1	0
Miss M. E. Crozier, Blackrock	1	1	0
Mrs. R. Smalley, Shrewsbury road	1	1	0
M. S. Newmark, Greenmount road	1	1	0
A. G. Hollinshead, Palmerston Gardens	1	1	0
Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Wilmot, Clonskeagh	1	1	0
Mrs. Sandford, 18 Pembroke Park	1	1	0
Miss J. Ogilvy, Glenageary Hill	1	1	0
F E. Burke	1	1	0
Miss E. M. Reade, Kingstown	1	1	0
Miss R. G. Reade, Kingstown	1	1	0
Mrs. Gordon Ferrier, 73 Wellington road	1	1	0
T. Seaman, 21 Lower Baggot street	1	1	0
Miss Parker, Sandford terrace	1	0	0
Miss E. A. Humphreys, Strabane	1	0	0
E A. Shaw, "Uplands," Monkstown	1	0	0
Miss Lough, 9 Lower Fitzwilliam street	1	0	0
"K. D."	1	0	0
W. Burns, Carlow	1	0	0
Dr. T. Tenison Collins, Ballinasloe	1	0	0
Mrs. E. M. Clifford Lloyd, Dalkey	1	0	0
Mrs. Gilbert Mahaffy, 2 Wilton place	1	0	0
Miss F. A. Mitchell, 82 Leinster road	1	0	0
"Oliver Twist"	1	0	0
Mrs. McCausland, Rathdrum	1	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. L. Boxwell, Blackrock	1	0	0
Mrs. Matthews, Maguire's Bridge	1	0	0
Lieut.-Colonel Thornhill, Drogheda	1	0	0
F. Byrne, Sandford road	1	0	0
Miss Dobbin	1	0	0
Miss C. Gelston, Terenure	1	0	0
Rev. E. Robinson, Glenageary	1	0	0
G. F. H. Heenan, Blackrock	1	0	0
Miss Draper, 26 Grosvenor road	1	0	0
Miss Emily Draper, 26 Grosvenor road	1	0	0
H. E. Flavelle, 28 Rathgar road	1	0	0
"In Loving Memory of Mr. Ross," from Mrs. Main, Dollymount	1	0	0
Mrs. W Monk Gibbon, Dundrum	1	0	0
The Rev. J. Sandys Bird, Terenure road	1	0	0
Mrs. and Miss Donaldson, Dartmouth square	1	0	0
Mrs. Kersteman, Navan	1	0	0
Miss Dowse and Miss K. Symes, Monkstown	1	0	0
Mrs. N. Allen, Killiney	1	0	0
"R. and G. M."	1	0	0
Miss Rose Riall, Bray	1	0	0
B Plummer, Cork	1	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. R. Griffin, Kenilworth Park	1	0	0
F. E. Battersby	1	0	0
The Misses Nugent, Iverna School, Kingstown	1	0	0
Mrs. Moorehead, 69 Wellington road	1	0	0
Henry J. Stokes, 45 Raglan road	1	0	0
Mrs. Butler, Bray	1	0	0
Miss E. Riall, Shankill	0	10	0
"L. O. E."	0	10	0
Miss E. V. Howell, Kingstown	0	10	0
Miss G. K. Armstrong, Blackrock	0	10	0
Mrs. A. C. Bennett	0	10	0
"E. E., Tomalin"	0	5	0
"Contents of Money-Box," from Boyd Harris, Sydney Parade	0	5	0
Mrs. Barrett, Castlewood Park	0	5	0
Miss Barrett, Castlewood Park	0	5	0
Miss A. M. Bredin, Kingstown	0	5	0
"A. F. O'M."	0	4	0
A. A. Giltrap	0	3	0
"A Sympathiser"	0	2	6
Miss S. Wilkinson	0	2	6
Miss Smyth, Lower Baggot street	0	2	6
E. L. Kilbey	0	2	0

Corrections:—In our list of yesterday the name, "Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton Reid, £2 2s. 0d.," should have been "Mrs. Hamilton Reid, Orwell Park, £2 2s. 0d."

"Miss C. Hunt, 85 Palmerston road, £2," should have been "Miss C. Hunt, 85 Pembroke road, £2."

TO-DAY'S RED CROSS PAGEANT.

"OUR DAY" IN DUBLIN.

The Red Cross Pageant is a veritable child of the war, and, if its progress through the streets of Dublin is halting, it must be borne in mind that, like the man for whom the Red Cross labours, the Pageant is itself a war victim.

An order was sent to London by the Committee for a large supply of flags. Colour and a pageant are twin brethren. This order, as fate would have it, never reached its destination. The letter containing the order was carried by the Royal Mail steamer Leinster, and is now lying at the bottom of the sea. Hence it happens that the Pageant is in mourning; in very truth the enemy U boat made its best endeavour to strip the Red Cross Pageant of its adornment. However, some friends came forward at the last moment and made good the deficiency.

Thus the Red Cross Pageant carries with it the marks of war, and, in this connection, not of least importance, two of the salved lifeboats of the ill-fated Leinster, occupied by half a dozen of her gallant crew, will accompany it on its way. Patsy Loughlin, quarter-deck man, well known to cross-Channel travellers, as a member of the Royal Navy, served two years at the war in H.M.S. service, and was [illegible] times in action. His ship bombarded the enemy off the enemy coast, took part in the Battle of Jutland, and also helped to destroy the German ships, Koenigsberg and Markgraf, at East Africa. Philip Connolly, a worker in the engine-room of the Leinster, and his son Thomas, under-steward, are two of the party. When the Leinster was torpedoed Philip Connolly saved his son's life. William Maher, one of the finest of swimmers, saved the lives of Mrs. Toppin and her daughter. In the rough sea this brave lad twice jumped off the raft to rescue Miss Toppin. Lawrence Kearns, fireman on the R.M.S. Leinster, is the sixth of the survivors from the wreck. These boats are taking the place of the Royal National Lifeboat Society's boat, mentioned in the programme.

The Pageant will pause for a few moments, first inside Trinity College, secondly at Nelson's Pillar, and finally at St. Stephen's Green, near the Shelbourne Hotel. Brief addresses will be delivered at the stopping places by Mrs. Maud Walsh and by Mr. S. W. Maddock, D.L., Joint Hon. Sec. of the "Our Day" Fund.

"OUR DAY": WHY WE SHOULD GIVE.

Letter from Sir Robert Hudson.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We are asked why the Joint Committee of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John are making such efforts to raise funds on "Our Day" when, as some think, peace draws in sight? Will you allow me briefly to set out our reasons?—

(1) The activities of the Joint Committee cannot cease for many months after the conclusion of peace.

(2) Although we have made preparations to demobilise as rapidly as possible when the war ends, the task, owing to our widespread activities and to the nature of our work, must of necessity take a long time. The wounded men cannot be hurried out of hospital on the day peace is signed. Provision must be made for the continued maintenance of our institutions for the curative treatment and after-care of the wounded.

(3) If peace is declared before Easter, we hope it will be unnecessary after "Our Day" to make another big organised appeal, though we must remember that, with peace, the normal flow of donations will probably cease.

(4) Our available funds on the 11th October, 1918, were £1,880,144 (including sums received at Headquarters in advance for "Our Day").

(5) Our estimates of net expenditure for the half-year ending on the 20th of April next amount to £2,962,939, being an average expenditure *per* week of £114,000.

(6) Our available funds in hand will carry us to February. No Finance Committee, dependent as we are on the voluntary contributions of the public, could face obligations such as ours with any smaller margin. "Our Day" is the main annual source of our income.

In the light of the facts which I have stated the urgency of our appeal is plain to all. I may add that the Joint Committee will gladly receive War Bonds as donations, and that such gifts will be brought into our accounts at their face value.—Yours, etc.,

ROBERT A. HUDSON, Chairman of the Joint Finance Committee.
Joint War Committee, 83 Pall Mall, London, S.W. 1, October 22nd, 1918.

TO-DAY IN DUBLIN.

Letter from Lord Donoughmore.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I desire, on behalf of the Joint War Committee of the British Red Cross and Order of St. John in the three Southern Provinces, to appeal to all public authorities and private individuals to mark their sympathy with the world-wide appeal that is being renewed on October 24th next, to raise funds to ensure the continuance of our work for the sick and wounded, by the decoration of their offices and buildings of all kinds with flags, bunting, and in other appropriate ways.

The needs of our cause are now well known to the public, but it would be a great assistance to us if this special mark of the occasion were widely adopted, and I do not hesitate, therefore, to appeal to the usual hospitality of your columns to make this request known.—Yours, etc.,

DONOUGHMORE.
London, October 22nd, 1918.

A WARNING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We have reason to believe that unauthorised collections have been made for the Red Cross, and our attention has been specially called to a certain raffle. The public are warned against purchasing tickets unless they are certain that the object is genuine.—Yours, etc.,

J. LUMSDEN, Director-in-Chief.
Joint War Committee, 51 Dawson street, Dublin, October 23rd, 1918.

AMERICA AND "OUR DAY" FUND.

In connection with the "Our Day" day set apart for a world-wide appeal for the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John, it is announced that the American Red Cross Society has handed over a gift of £500,000. The gift was formally handed over to Sir Robert Hudson at a dinner at St. James' Club, where Colonel William Davison, American Red Cross Commissioner for Great Britain, entertained the dinner representatives of British and American Red Cross organisations.

In a speech of appreciation of the work of the joint societies, Colonel Davison said that even were the war to end to-morrow, the British Red Cross would have need of vast sums of money, and the American men and children at home who had stinted themselves to subscribe so generously to their war fund would feel that they could not possibly make better use of portion of their money than to turn some of it over to the British Red Cross. When they wrote that scrap of paper they could also draw upon the very best wishes of the American people for the continued success of the wonderful organisation.

The Duke of Connaught expressed the deep and sincere gratitude of the Joint War Committee for the munificent donation. He realised that the gift was made by the American Red Cross Society in the name of the American people, and it was the thanks not only of the Joint War Committee, but of the people of the British Empire, he now expressed.

Sir Arthur Stanley, Chairman of the Joint War Committee; Lord Reading, Admiral Sims, Lord Northcliffe, and General Biddle also spoke.

Prince Albert has given £100, and Princess Mary £50.

SINN FEIN AND UNIONIST REPRESENTATION.

Messrs. J. O'Hanrahan, solicitor, and Mr. James Devine, *Sinn Fein* election directors for North-West and North-East Tyrone respectively, have written to the local Nationalist Press suggesting that, in order to avoid three-cornered contests in these divisions, which might lead to the return of the Unionist candidates, the opinion of the Roman Catholic electors should be taken by a ballot, carried out under the supervision of the clergy on a suitable date, as to whether the candidates should be supporters of Mr. Dillon or *Sinn Fein*. If Mr. Dillon agrees to this proposal they state that there will be no election contest in either constituency.

MR. JOHN CULLINAN, M.P., AND SOUTH TIPPERARY.

At a largely attended conference of supporters of the Irish Nationalist Party in Tipperary, Monsignor Ryan, P.P., presiding, Mr. John Cullinan, M.P., was unanimously selected as Parliamentary candidate for the constituency of South Tipperary.

Dr. Boyd Carpenter, Canon of Westminster, is dangerously ill.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE NEW OFFENSIVE.

The battle of the Scheldt, says *The Times*, which was joined yesterday, made excellent progress, but the obstinacy of the enemy's resistance showed no signs of relaxing. This time there was apparently no surprise, for he started a counter-barrage some half an hour before our attack, and, instead of getting a flying start, our troops had some exceedingly hard fighting at the very outset. All the more remarkable is the good progress that was made, averaging from three to four miles on a front of nearly twenty miles, and the capture of several thousand prisoners. Three years ago this would have been a first-rate victory, to keep us talking for weeks, and nothing is more significant of the revolution in our military standards than that victories like this should now be taken as a matter of course. But no praise can be too high for the wonderful fortitude of the British Army, which can carry it triumphant through so breathless and so sustained an offensive. The main point of the attack yesterday was directed towards Landrecies, at the southern end of the Mormal Forest, which on the second day of our retreat from Mons divided the First and Second Armies. The design of the attacks is exceptionally interesting. When we come to towns like Valenciennes and Tournai we encircle, instead of attacking them, and our formal offensives are reserved for the extension of our front of attack against the enemy's defence of Belgium from the south. In place of the old design, which contemplated a double encircling movement from the west and the east of France, what we are now doing is to attack the enemy's centre. Our present attack, if it can be pressed far enough, would bring us out near Maubeuge, break the enemy's armies in Belgium into two, and precipitate the German retreat towards the [illegible]

THE GERMAN COLONIES.

There is a refreshing quality of frankness, says *The Times*, about Mr. Balfour's speech to the Australian and New Zealand Luncheon Club. We hope the same quality will mark the statements of all British and Allied Ministers when they deal with peace terms. There are times when it is useful to talk, and so to talk that our talk may strengthen our hand. About the German Colonies we think that in no case shall they be restored to Germany. A just and stable peace requires that. In regard to the former colonies of Germany which have been taken from her mainly by the efforts of the British Dominions valiantly assisted by their Allies, the "open door" theory must be ruled out, just as it must be ruled out in the case of Belgium. The arguments in both cases is based on the same fundamental principle. By her felon attack upon Belgium Germany forced this war upon the world. In consequence of her immoral deed was she lost the Colonies which she had so grossly misgoverned. To admit for a moment that these colonies could be returned to her as compensation for "concessions" on [illegible] would be to assimilate the righteous [illegible] the Allies to her own unrighteousness. The broad basis we stand, and in taking [illegible] upon it we pursue no selfish aim. We believe that, subject to adequate provision for the safety and security of the British peoples, [illegible] affected by their neighbourhood, the German colonies should be a trust to be administered equitably for the welfare, in the first [illegible], of their inhabitants.

CAPTAIN CROMIE'S DEATH.

The Times Correspondent, who has escaped from Russia, describes in a long despatch, sent from Christiania, his experiences of the Russian [illegible] and his presence in the British Embassy at Petrograd on August 31st. I was standing [illegible] a table in the Chancery, about to [illegible] with a portfolio full of documents. Four [illegible] members of the Consular staff were [illegible] drawing their salaries from the cashier, and [illegible] safes containing large sums [illegible] was open. The Vice-Consul, Mr. [illegible] was in an adjoining room. [illegible] Woodhouse had been arrested [illegible] the night before in the street, [illegible] with the Assistant Naval *Attaché*, [illegible] while returning to the Embassy after [illegible]. Quite suddenly, without the [illegible] the Chancery door was flung [illegible] and [illegible] rushed an excited man in an [illegible] and a soft hat, with Browning pistols [illegible] in each hand, while he [illegible] at the top of his voice, "Rooki verkh" [illegible]. He was followed by two or three [illegible], who, like himself, were evidently [illegible] of Jewish race, all levelling pistols at [illegible]. We stood round the room [illegible] with surprise. At first we [illegible] it was a practical joke, but were soon [illegible] of that idea by sounds of firing in [illegible]. The first shot rang out [illegible] after the dramatic appearance of the Bolshevist, who was the Commissar in charge. Several other shots followed in quick succession. Then a badly-wounded [illegible] staggered into the Chancery feebly [illegible] his revolver in our direction, and [illegible] that he was dying. He called loudly [illegible] but little notice was taken of him [illegible] the Commissioner, who simply remarked [illegible] could not understand how "English [illegible] should put bullets into the [illegible] of your Russians who were only [illegible] their duty." This wounded man [illegible] to my feet and was soon carried [illegible] by comrades. Two other Russians [illegible] killed somewhere outside near the staircase, [illegible] one side of which, on the first floor, [illegible] the Consular Office, and on the [illegible] the rooms used by members of the [illegible] and Military missions. Who fired the [illegible] in the Chancery did not know. A few [illegible] later we were told that Captain Cromie [illegible] been killed, and as we were being led out [illegible] the street we saw his dead body, in [illegible] dress, stretched out at the foot of the [illegible] on the right-hand of the entrance hall. [illegible] was blood on the second stair, from the [illegible] on which he had struck his head in [illegible] backwards, having been shot in the back [illegible] by two Russians coming down after [illegible]. According to one witness, he was striding down the stairs without any pistol in [illegible]. The door porter said he saw the Russians [illegible] a pistol out of the Captain's waistcoat [illegible] after he had expired. A Bolshevist was [illegible] to lift the body and take the gold St. [illegible] Cross off Captain Cromie's breast, and [illegible] his own with a sneering remark. When [illegible] Cromie fell two ladies out of the Military [illegible] Office on the street level, tried to [illegible] him speak, but he was dying fast. One [illegible] the wife of an English officer, ran up [illegible] Chancery and begged the Commissioner [illegible] for water as Captain Cromie was [illegible] was, "Let him die."

THE LEINSTER DISASTER.

QUESTIONS IN PARLIAMENT.

In the House of Commons yesterday, [illegible] to Mr. Houston, [illegible] Macnamara said the Admiralty were not [illegible] the wireless installation at Kingstown [illegible] out of order. As he had already [illegible] in reply to Mr. Dillon, all available [illegible] within ten minutes after the receipt of [illegible] message. The hon. member would [illegible] that a certain proportion of the vessels [illegible] were undergoing boiler cleaning, and [illegible]

Mr. Houston asked would the right hon. [illegible] inquire why 24 minutes transpired [illegible] receipt of the message until it was in [illegible] of the Senior Naval Officer or his [illegible] at Kingstown.

[illegible] Macnamara promised to do so.

MR DILLON AND THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

Mr. Dillon has given notice of motion:—"That it is essential for the British Government [illegible] take part in any proceeding for the re[illegible] of Europe on the conclusion of [illegible] the Irish question should be settled in [illegible] with the principles laid down by [illegible] Wilson: that all nations, large and [illegible] have free self-determination as to [illegible] of Government, and that no people [illegible] be ruled and dominated, even in internal [illegible] by arbitrary and irresponsible force [illegible] by their own will and choice, and [illegible] the application of these principles, the [illegible] of coercion and military rule under [illegible] Ireland is now governed be ended." Mr. [illegible] asked for a day to debate the motion.

TO RELIEVE SHORTAGE OF MATCHES.

The Press Association learns that the Government [illegible] removed the embargo upon the importation of matches from Sweden, and in [illegible] will allow three thousand cases of [illegible] be imported here from that country. [illegible] As each case contains 7,200 boxes [illegible] present shortage, which is now [illegible] will be considerably relieved.

GERMANY AND PEACE.

CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH.

SCHEME OF INTERNAL REFORMS.

"THE ENEMY IS AT OUR GATE."

The following is a fuller report of the speech in the Reichstag of Prince Max of Baden, the Imperial Chancellor, a summary of which appeared in our later editions yesterday. The report has been received through Reuter's Copenhagen Correspondent:—

The Imperial Chancellor said that the whole German people were anxious to hear the views of the Government on the prospects of the success of the peace move. He could only speak with the greatest reserve, and he hoped those who desired a debate would observe reticence consistent with the seriousness of the hour. The President's first answer to the German Government brought the question of a peace of justice or a peace of violence to a higher point. President Wilson's last Note did not make it clear to the German people how this public agitation will end. The President's new answer will, perhaps, bring a definite certainty on this point.

PREPARED FOR PEACE OR WAR.

Till then, gentlemen, we must, in all our thoughts and in all our actions, prepare for both eventualities: first, that the enemy Governments are anxious for war, and that there is no choice for us but to put ourselves in a posture of defence, with all the strength of a people driven to the last extremity. Should this necessity arise, I have no doubt but that the German Government, in the name of the German people, will issue a call for national defence in the same way as it spoke for the German people when it took action for peace. (Cheers.) He who honestly took his stand on the basis of a peace of justice will also undertake the duty of not submitting to a peace of violence without a fight. (Cheers.) A Government which did not have this feeling would be left to the mercy of the fighting and working people—(hear, hear)—and it would be swept away by the current of public opinion.

NO BLIND CONFERENCE.

But, gentlemen, there is also another possibility we must even now bear in mind in all its meaning. The German people must not blindly be brought to the conference table. The German people to-day has the right to ask if peace were realised on the basis of President Wilson's conditions what does that mean—for our life, for our furture? Our answer to the President's question must be framed on the German people's understanding of that question. What it now wants is clearness. Yes, it is a decision of stupendous import, for it is not our strength that will decide what we think right, but what is thought right in free discussion with our opponents will give the decision—a great effort for a proud people accustomed to victory. Then the legal question will not stop at our national boundaries, which we will never of our own accord open for violence.

THE INTERNAL QUESTION.

The principles upon which we have agreed as our rule of conduct also involve an internal question for us. From many quarters it has been represented to me that the acceptance of President Wilson's conditions would mean submission to an anti-German court of justice, which would decide the legal question entirely from the point of view of its own interests. If that is the case, why then is it that precisely the extreme apostles of force in the *Entente* fear the Council Chamber as the guilty fear a court of justice? The essence of the whole of President Wilson's programme is the League of Nations. That cannot be brought about when all the people have not the right to national self-determination, the realisation of the community if law means an abandonment of part of that unqualified independence which has hitherto been the indication of sovereignty both by us and by others. (Hear, hear.) Should we at home maintain as fundamental that national egoism which, until a short time ago, was the dominating force of the people's life, then, gentlemen, there would be no restitution, no renovation for us. (Hear, hear.) Then there would be a feeling of bitterness which would cripple us for generations. But if we comprehend that the significance of this frightful war is, above all, a victory for the idea of justice, and if we do not resist this idea but submit to it, not with a mental reservation, but with all good faith, then we shall find in it a cure for present wounds and a reservoir of future strength. With this reservoir of strength the German people will work with all that serenity and conscientiousness which is our hereditary portion.

REFORM IN PRUSSIA.

When I in this hard hour hold the idea of a League of Nations as a source of consolidation and a new force before the eyes of our people, I will not deny for a moment what heavy opposition is to be conquered before the idea can be realised. No one can say whether it will advance quickly or slowly.

Whether the next few days or weeks shall call us to fight on or shall open the way to peace there can be no doubt that we are now equal to the task of either war or peace by carrying out the Government's programme, and definitely breaking away from the old system. (Hear, hear, on the Left.)

The electoral reform of Prussia has now, thanks to the acquiescence of the parties in the Government proposal, advanced so far that equal direct secret suffrage has been secured. (Cheers.)

Two bills have been laid before the Reichstag. One will make it possible for members of this House to enter the Government without resigning their seats. This is absolutely necessary if the relations between Parliament and the highest Imperial authorities is to remain so close as common work and reciprocal confidence demand. This bill further proposes a change in the law regarding the representation of the Chancellor. Up to the present only leaders of the highest Imperial authorities have been able to represent the Chancellor. In future Deputies will take part in the direction of Imperial policy, and, in the name of the Chancellor, will be responsible without being Ministers. Thus, a new way is opened for arriving at the responsible conduct of Imperial affairs—the Parliamentary way. We are convinced that it will supply not only the Government but also indirectly Parliament with precious forces from the people that have hitherto not been utilised. I hope soon to be able to put before the Reichstag the results of the preliminary labours regarding the legal extension of the Chancellor's political responsibility, to be secured by the formation of a State Tribunal. The new system of the Imperial Government involves, as a natural consequence, a new mode of government in Alsace-Lorraine. An Alsatian has been appointed Governor of Alsace-Lorraine; an Alsatian has been appointed Secretary of State. Leading men from the Second Chamber of the Diet will be members of the Provincial Government. I suppose that the new Governor, in accord with the party leaders, will draft a programme for his Government, and declare it in public.

POWERS OF THE REICHSTAG.

The second Bill for the alteration of Article 11 of the Imperial Constitution will provide for the compulsory embodiment in the Constitution of a fundamental idea of a new form of government. The bill will lay down that the Reichstag, as the House of Representatives of the People, shall be fully and jointly responsible in the decision of the most important question of life for the nation—namely, war and peace. (Cheers). That means a guarantee for the peaceful development of the Empire, and its relation to other Powers. In such an extension of the people's rights the Imperial Government is also willing to lend a hand when the League of Nations has taken practical form. When the League of Nations has put an end to all secret and separate treaties and confidential agreements, then Article 11 can be amplified in this sense. The state of war in all countries has caused restrictions in political liberty. Peace will bring full restoration of these. The extraordinary measures of war time cannot yet be dispensed with, but they can now only be carried out with the consent of the Chancellor, who is responsible to the Reichstag for their application. The decrees of His Majesty, announced by me in October, have now been issued. They concern not only the censorship, the right of public meeting, and the restrictions of personal liberty, but they extend to the domain of economic and social politics. If the local military commanders disagree with the civil authorities a decision must at once be taken by the highest military commander, who cannot promulgate any decision that has not been agreed to by me or by my substitute, who is the Secretary of State, Herr Groeber. As the Commander-in-Chief is also authorised to fix the general principles, care has been taken that the state of siege is maintained in the spirit in which I assumed the functions of the Government, and in which I am resolved to discharge them. (Interruptions by the Independent Socialists).

POLITICAL AMNESTY.

Gentlemen, my programme of October 5 also embodied the pardon of persons for political crimes, especially in connection with Labour troubles, street demonstrations, and the like. A far-reaching amnesty of this nature was proposed by the Kaiser, and is now being applied. Many persons sentenced have already regained their liberty, many of them only after strong misgivings on the part of the Government. The conviction of the necessity of benevolence in the policy of trust decided the matter. Gentlemen, all the steps which I have enumerated were in harmony with all constitutional precedents, and in this respect my system of government is supported by these precedents. I and you also support Orders of the Day, by which I have no doubt a People's Government will be established in the Imperial laws. I know that a retrospect of the political harvest of these three memorable October weeks will create a different feeling among you. One will regard it as a sort of reckless descent on an inclined plane leading to the destruction of the existing order. Another will regard it as a timid and uncertain groping after reform. Let both opinions be expressed. What is right and just for the Opposition is exactly what is wanted for the independence of Parliament. He who is free from responsibility is free to criticise. In face of both views I declare that I and my colleagues are agreed upon our methods and our aims.

POLITICAL AUTHORITY FOR THE GERMAN PEOPLE.

Our aim is the political authority of the German people. (Loud cheers.) This is the guiding star of my collaborators and myself. Independent members of the Government at first had different standpoints, but they pursued their aim with equal fidelity, and this brought them nearer together. The German people have long been in the saddle, and now they are to ride. Our nation has long had political rights which many a politically ripe neighbour has envied it. The suffrage for election to the Reichstag has long been the freest suffrage in the world, and the Reichstag was so freely elected that it had always the great political power of authorisation, but the German people made no use of its power on vital points. At the end of September a development took place by which everything has been changed, and therein lies a guarantee of the continuance and growth of the new system. This is a better and more real guarantee than any law or paragraph. We must not, for the sake of foreign countries, or in order to meet the needs of the moment, resort to forms of government in which we do not in our hearts believe. We should fail to give the new system which is now being tried for the first time the stamp of irrevocability which we cannot do without.

The enemy is at our gates. Our first and last thought is for the brave men who are defending them against superior forces, and whom he must defend against unjust charges. (Cheers.) Nobody must think he can attack our Army without also attacking the honour of our people. (Cheers.) Bad elements and bad measures are to be found in every army, but the fundamental will of the people's army disowns them. The lot of our soldiers is terribly hard today. They fight with anxiety for the homeland. They fight with their minds fixed on peace, and they hold their ground. We thank them, we trust them, and we cry to them: "The homeland will not abandon you." (Cheers.) What you want and what it can give in men, material, and food, that you shall have. (Cheers.)

ARMISTICE TERMS.

IMPORTANCE OF SEA POWER.

PRESIDENT'S QUESTIONS TO GERMANY.

Reuter's Agency learns that the Allied Governments, as a result of continuel communications, are perfectly well acquainted and in agreement with the terms on which it is possible to enter into negotiations for an armistice. It should be observed that naval questions have never been dealt with in any negotiations between the United States and Germany, and that these are, of course, of the first importance from the Allied point of view. The idea of freedom of the seas, as understood by Germany, is not a matter that any of the Allied Governments can accept at all. It would appear that the conditions precedent to an armistice must include the question of sea power as well as land power, but, so far, Germany has always limited her remarks to land power. America, Great Britain, France, and Italy owe so much to the question of sea power in the carrying on of the war, and in the development of their Empires and countries, that it cannot appear practical for them to omit the consideration of sea power from the discussion of the conditions under which they would be justified in entering into an armistice.

In putting forward the evacuation of occupied territories, President Wilson never assumed that his conditions would be confined to this, as the Germans have always argued. The first German Note was sent to Washington for transmission to the Allies, but before finally communicating it to them the President asked the Germans a series of questions, which were intended as a preliminary to the putting of the whole matter before the Allies for their consideration when the President had got the points further elucidated. It is not yet known how far President Wilson is satisfied with the replies received.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S CONDITIONS.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. King asked the Prime Minister whether his statement made on the 5th July last—that if the Kaiser and his advisers accepted to-morrow the conditions of President Wilson he could have peace, not only with America, but also with Great Britain and France—held good as regarded the negotiations for an armistice which President Wilson was at present engaged in.

Mr. Bonar Law—It is inadvisable to make any statement on this subject while negotiations are pending between President Wilson and the German Government. (Cheers.)

Mr. King—Does that imply that the Prime Minister says things one month, repeats them the next, and then runs away from them?

Mr. Bonar Law—It implies exactly what I said—that it is very inadvisable to discuss such matters at present at all, and I should have thought that every member of the House would agree to that. (Cheers.)

Replying to a question by Mr. Dillon as to when a statement of the peace terms of the British Government would be made, Mr. Bonar Law said he had nothing to add to his previous replies.

GERMAN PRESS AND CONCESSIONS.

The *Taegliche Rundschau*, commenting on the German reply to President Wilson, says:—We have replied to the violence of President Wilson's Note with concessions and weakness. We fear that President Wilson will only see the weakness, but the Government could not turn its back on the path it had once taken.

The *Cologne Gazette* says:—The main point relates to the U-boat war. An order to exclude passenger ships from destruction means the end of unrestricted submarine warfare, as a result of which naturally the barred zones are also abolished. In view of the well-known "Baralong spirit" of the British, the danger to our submarines is great. This concession to President Wilson's grievance regarding unrestricted submarine warfare is, therefore, an enormous one. President Wilson must see in this our earnest desire for peace, a sufficient guarantee for him, who himself is really desirous of reaching an understanding.

AMERICA FAVOURS REJECTION.

Despatches from Washington show that the Congressional leaders in most cases favour the outspoken rejection of the German Note, and the abrupt termination of the correspondence. Mr. Hitchcock, Chairman of the Senate Committee of Foreign Relations, according to the *New York Times*, believes that the Note should be submitted to the Allied Governments before President Wilson replies. The President's decision, Mr. Hitchcock feels, should be largely governed by the wishes of the Allies. Senator Ashurst (Democrat) terms the note—"Shrewd, cunning, and ingenious, and designed to impress the gullible."

THE SINKING OF THE DUNDALK.

CARDINAL LOGUE ON "BARBARIC METHODS."

Cardinal Logue, presiding at a hastily convened meeting in Dundalk Town Hall on Tuesday night, to open a fund for the dependents of those lost on the ss. Dundalk, said that the misery of this terrible war had been brought to their doors by the catastrophe in which nineteen of their own citizens had been hurried to their doom without even time to say as much as "Lord have mercy on me." The Dundalk and Newry Steampacket Co. was a credit to these towns: it was one of the few Irish companies that had not been absorbed by cross-Channel concerns. The sinking of their fine steamer and so many of its crew was an instance of the barbaric methods adopted by one of the belligerents. One could understand the sinking of troopships or munition vessels, or ships in any way proving of advantage to the enemies of the Germans, but the sinking of passenger ships or local trading vessels like the Dundalk was outside the rules of fair warfare. The men who were put down in the Dundalk were brave men, who had lost their lives in doing their duty as sailors, and their duty to the public, and he was glad to find it was the feeling of the representative people of Dundalk and neighbourhood that the services these men had rendered to the community, and which they lost their lives in rendering, were not overlooked or forgotten.

VICTORIA CROSS AWARD.

Last night's *London Gazette* announces the award of the Victoria Cross to No. 43247 Cpl. David Ferguson Hunter, Highland L.I. (Dunfermline) for an act of conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty. Detailed to take an advanced post, he subsequently became isolated. Despite the fact that he was exceedingly short of rations and water, and was subjected to repeated attacks, he maintained his position for 48 hours until releived by a counter-attack. The fortitude and determination of Cpl. Hunter was beyond all praise.

GREAT BATTLES ON THE SCHELDT.

FIVE BRITISH ARMIES ENGAGED.

FIERCE FIGHTING AND GOOD PROGRESS.

THOUSANDS OF PRISONERS AND MANY GUNS.

MONS AND MAUBEUGE WITHIN LONG RANGE.

THE FRANCO-AMERICAN ADVANCE.

Wednesday saw violent fighting and substantial progress on the Western battle-fronts. Reports of correspondents indicate that in the British sectors five of our Armies were heavily engaged, and Irish troops shared both the burden and the honours of the day.

The principal attack was that delivered very early in the morning between the Sambre Canal and the Scheldt River in the region southward of Valenciennes. It was vigorously opposed, it moved across extremely difficult country, and early in the day it penetrated the enemy's positions to a depth of over three miles on the whole front of attack, driving him from many strongly held woods, villages, and farms, which had been organised for vigorous defence.

North, south, and centre we made progress, and took several thousand prisoners and many guns.

The day's success has brought us nearer to Maubeuge and Mons, two places of extreme importance to the Germans. Also, it took us over the historic ground of Mormal Forest and Landrecies.

The French, farther south, were actively engaged between the Oise and Serre, and there was desperate fighting on the Serre-Souche front, where they carried the eastern bank of the canal between Froidmont and Pierrepont.

In the Grand Pré sector French and American Forces gained ground, while further east the Americans took Bantheville.

BRITISH REPORTS.

Wednesday, 10.12 a.m.

Early this morning our troops attacked on the Le Cateau-Solesmes front, and are reported to be making good progress.

Further north, between Valenciennes and Tournai, we have taken Bruay, and have reached the west bank of the Scheldt at Bleharies and Espain.

Considerable resistance was encountered on this front yesterday, and sharp fighting took place, in which our troops, pressing the enemy vigorously, inflicted many casualties, and drove him from his positions, capturing a number of prisoners.

8.50 p.m.

The attack this morning was delivered by English and Scottish troops of the 3rd and 4th Armies, between the Sambre Canal and the River Scheldt, south of Valenciennes.

The advance was made over country rendered difficult by many streams, villages, and woods, which were defended by the enemy with much resolution.

During the period of assembly, and the early stages of the battle, hostile artillery displayed great activity with high explosive and gas shells.

Throughout the day's operations our troops have fought their way forward in spite of obstinate resistance, especially by the enemy's artillery and machine guns.

Advancing with great steadiness some hours before dawn our infantry penetrated the enemy's defence along the whole front, and at an early hour had captured the important villages of Pommereuil, Forest, and Romeries.

On the extreme right strong resistance was met with at the fortified farm of Guinbremont, and the railway near it, but at both places the enemy's defence was quickly overcome.

In the left centre the village of Beaurain, held by the enemy with great tenacity, was stormed by English county troops of the 5th Division, with the assistance of tanks.

On the left, other English troops crossed the Harpies River at an early stage in the advance, and captured Vertain.

During the morning our troops pressed on with the attack on the whole front, carrying the enemy's positions to a depth of over three miles, and driving him from many strongly defended villages, farms, woods, and other localities organised for resistance.

English troops of the 25th Division had hard fighting in the Bois l'Eveque, and made good progress through the wood.

East county troops of the 18th Division, advancing to a depth of 3½ miles, captured Bousies.

English and Scottish Battalions of the 21st and 33rd Divisions secured the crossings of the Harpies at Vendegies Wood, and captured Vendegies village.

Other English battalions, with New Zealand troops operating on the left, reached the outskirts of Neuville, and established themselves on the high ground to the north-west of the village.

Further north the village of Escarmain was captured by troops of the 2nd and 3rd Divisions.

In these highly successful operations several thousand prisoners and many guns have been captured by our troops, whose advance is continuing on the whole front.

Aviation.—On October 22nd thick mist and clouds continued to curtail our operations, but, in spite of this, a fair amount of reconnaissance and contact patrol work was done, and targets were reported to our artillery and photographs were taken. Casualties were inflicted on enemy troops by bombs and machine gun fire, and direct hits were obtained on a train. A total weight of three and a quarter tons of bombs was dropped. There was slight activity on the part of hostile aircraft on the southern battle front, but none was shown elsewhere. In air fighting one enemy aeroplane was shot down out of control and one balloon destroyed. A German night-bombing machine, caught in the beams of our searchlights, was shot down in flames by Lewis gun fire from the ground. Three of our machines are at present reported missing. In spite of adverse weather conditions, some of our night-flying machines succeeded in penetrating a long way behind the enemy's lines, and in obtaining direct hits on an important railway station and on other centres of activity, one and a quarter tons of bombs being dropped. All our machines have returned.

BELGIAN REPORT.

Wednesday.

There was great artillery and machine gun activity on the Belgian front.

In reducing an isolated resistance post, which held out on the western bank of the Lys Canal, we captured about 50 prisoners.

FRENCH DESPATCHES.

Wednesday.

On the Oise front the activity of both artilleries continued to be lively throughout the night.

The booty captured by the troops of the First Army during the fighting of October 17th-18th includes 81 guns, about 100 trench mortars, and a number of 37 mm. guns; more than 700 machine guns, with munition dumps and war material of all descriptions.

On the Serre front the enemy continues his vigilance, and is opposing with machine gun fire our attempts to cross the Serre and the Souche.

Further eastward our troops made progress between Nizy-le-Comte and Le Thour, and took some prisoners.

The night was calm on the rest of the front.

Wednesday Night.

There was great artillery activity on the Oise front.

Between the Oise and the Serre we gained ground to the north of Catillon du Temple, and carried our lines as far as the outskirts of Chevressis-les-Dames.

Further to the east we carried a wood, which had been vigorously defended to the north-east of Mesbrecourt-Richecourt.

150 prisoners remained in our hands.

There were desperate struggles during the day on the front of the Serre and the Suche.

Our units, breaking down the resistance of the enemy, succeeded in debouching between Froidmont, Cohartille, and Pierrepont, and in maintaining themselves on the eastern bank, opposite the Brazicourt Farm, in spite of a strong German counter-attack.

To the south-east of Nizy-le-Comte we increased our progress.

To the east of the Aisne, fighting continues to be sharp in the region of Vouziers.

The Germans attacked the village of Terron, and our positions to the east of Vandy. They were repulsed with heavy losses.

Between Olizy and Grand Pré we carried the Beaurepaire Mill, capturing some prisoners.

There is nothing to report on the rest of the front.

Aviation.—On the 22nd the thick mist and rain once more hampered the work of our aviators. Our observation machines, protected by our chaser-planes, were, nevertheless, enabled to carry out their usual reconnoitring work in the enemy back areas. During these operations three enemy aeroplanes were brought down, and two captive balloons were set on fire. During the night, in spite of mist which continued to be thick, our bombarders dropped over seven tons of projectiles on the railway stations of Liart, Hirson, Provisy, and Le Chesne. Our fire caused a conflagration in Liart Station.

GERMAN REPORTS.

Wednesday.

Army Group of the Crown Prince Rupprecht.—Fighting on the Lys lowlands continues.

The enemy launched violent attacks on both sides of Deynze.

North of the town they were repulsed. South of the town, after initial gains of territory, they were brought to a standstill west of the Deynze-Olsene road by a counter-attack.

East of Courtrai we were pressed back from the western outskirts of Vichte to the eastern outskirts.

On both sides of the place strong enemy attacks broke down. The heights near Keiberg were held in bitter fighting by the Silesian Reserve Infantry Regiment No. 10, under its commander, Major Gruener, against the assault of the enemy, which was renewed four times.

There have been partial engagements in the Scheldt lowlands and on both sides of Tournai and Valenciennes.

Army Group of the German Crown Prince.—South of Marle we evacuated the temporarily defended bridgehead on the Serre and the Souche, and withdrew our line behind the brook sector.

On the Aisne we repulsed violent attacks by the enemy on both sides of Nanteuil.

On the west bank of the Aisne, on both sides of Vouziers, and at Olizy the engagements have assumed greater extent. Bringing the strongest artillery into action, the enemy attacked in the early morning between Aurron and Falaise, and also between Alizy and Beaurepaire. On the heights west of Ballay the attack gained some ground. On the rest of the front it broke down before our lines.

In the afternoon also the enemy, after renewed artillery preparation, advanced to the attack. The 1st Bavarian Infantry Regiment, under the leadership of its commander, Major Schmidtler, in a stubborn defence held the height east of Chestres against several assaults by the enemy, who was superior in numbers.

On the rest of the front also the enemy was repulsed with heavy losses.

Army Group of General von Gallwitz.—Between the Argonne and the Meuse, and between the Meuse and the Moselle, there has been lively nocturnal artillery activity.

There have been partial engagements west of the Meuse and west of the Moselle, without special result.

Lieutenant Buecher obtained his fortieth aerial victory.

Wednesday Night.

There have been partial engagements in Flanders.

On both sides of Solesmes and Le Cateau we have frustrated a renewed attempt of the British to break through. The violent fighting came to a standstill on the line St. Martin, Neuville, Bousies, Ors, Catillon.

On the north bank of the Serre, on both sides of Vouziers, and west of Grand Pré, attacks by the French broke down, as also did heavy attacks by the Americans on both banks of the Meuse.

BIG BRITISH ATTACKS.

FIVE ARMIES ENGAGED.

PROGRESS ON SCHELDT, SCARPE, AND LYS.

STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent with the British Armies in France, writing on Wednesday says:—This morning strong forces of the British Third and Fourth Armies delivered a general attack in the direction of the Scheldt Canal and its tributary lines, along which the enemy is endeavouring to protect the flank of his grand retirement.

The strategic aim of this battle must be so evident to anyone who has followed the recent phases of the campaign by the aid of a war map that it needs no labouring. That it had been anticipated by the Germans we may conclude from the considerable stiffening of their resistance along most of this wide front. Simply put, the situation now is that the enemy wants to get away, and we want to prevent his getting away. Whilst his politicians are talking about the difficulties of evacuation his soldiers are realising them—possibly never yet in greater degree than this morning.

It was at 1.20 a.m. that the Fourth Army launched its assault. The night was very misty, the moon being obscured, but the weather was calm. In response to our preliminary barrage the German artillery began shelling hard with high explosive and gas projectiles.

Forty minutes later the Third Army took up the attack on the left.

Another stage of the battle began at 3.40 a.m.

For trustworthy details of the progress made we have as yet come back. In the left centre it is reported that the attack is going well, to the north and south of the Forest of Mormal. Romeries is also reported to have been taken. A good many prisoners, mainly in small batches, have been brought in. The enemy is fighting doggedly. During the night his aeroplanes, which were probably on bombing expeditions, flew low over the battle-front, and unloaded their freight, but in the haze they probably did as much harm to their own people as to ours.

The First Army has crossed the Scarpe to the east of Nivelles, and continues steadily to fight its way forward. Whilst both the Fifth and the Second Armies record progress, they are meeting with increased resistance, and the Belgians report a similar experience.

In their attack yesterday morning the French carried Molenhoek, and gained the west bank of the Lys from Machlen to Straete and Driesch. They encountered strong opposition, having to fight hard for all their gains, and they took over 1,100 prisoners.

EVACUATION OF GHENT.

The Amsterdam Correspondent of the Press Association states that the Sas van Gent Correspondent of the *Telegraaf* reports that the evacuation of Ghent is in full swing. The last boats are being hastily towed down the canal towards Selzaete.

EXCESS PROFITS.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Bonar Law stated, in reply to Mr. W. Thorne, that the Budget estimate of the excess profits duty (and munitions Exchequer payments) in 1915-16 was six millions, while the Exchequer receipt was £140,000. The estimate for 1916-17 was £86,000,000, and the Exchequer receipt £139,920,000. The estimate for 1917-18 was £200,000,000, and the receipt £220,214,000. The smallness of the yield in 1915-16 was due to the late date at which the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, was eventually passed into law, and to the length of time allowed under it for rendering returns and paying duty.

A STEADY ADVANCE.

IRISH TROOPS IN ACTION.

2,000 PRISONERS AND MANY GUNS.

The Special Correspondent of the Press Association at Correspondents' Headquarters of the British Army in France, writing on Wednesday afternoon, says:—Steadily our troops are coming up to the line of the Scheldt, linking up the few bridgeheads and footholds which have already been established along the western bank. The fighting of this morning has considerably extended our front along this waterway, which is mainly interesting because it had been suggested as a probable line of the German rally. To-day's battle has been very difficult to follow, because the conflict, beginning along a connected front, disintegrated into a series of local struggles. Thus, on the front between Valenciennes and Tournai, the Forêt de Raismes deflected the fighting below St. Amand. Bruay, about three miles north, and slightly east of Valenciennes, was reached by our troops, and Bleharies was also taken in spite of heavy machine-gun fire, coming from across the stream.

The country, over a wide area around where the Canal de Conde joins the Escout, is intersected by a perfect network of little waterways, which renders it very marshy, and extremely difficult for troops to advance across against deliberate defence.

Between Le Cateau and Sclesmes we are approaching the thick Mormal Forest. Under such conditions it is obvious that the news coming back from the 30-mile front must be scrappy and disconnected, so that a good deal of piecing together is necessary to gather anything approaching a connected understanding of what is happening.

We are drawing into long-range artillery reach of both Mons and Maubeuge, which are very vital points on the German communications, and it does not seem unduly optimistic to predict that in the near future the British troops will be beyond any line of French soil they have yet trodden in this war.

The battle of to-day is very similar in the character of the fighting to its predecessors of the past ten days. That is to say, it is almost wholly a struggle of infantry against machine gun resistance. The nature of the country is unfavourable to the employment of tanks, and even the moving up of guns is often a feat of considerable difficulty. Moreover, I gather that the tendency is to keep our columns as mobile as is practicable. Sappers are playing a great part in the present phase of field warfare, and are doing wonderful work in the renewal of destroyed bridges, the detection and removal of death traps, and the general maintenance of communications. But it is the infantry who are carving out the victory—battalions from the English shores, the Scottish heather, the Welsh hills, and the soft emerald levels of Ireland.

The Americans, rapidly adding war wisdom to their indomitable gallantry, are contributing laurels to the history of the Fourth Army Gunners, airmen, and, in limited measure, cavalry, are doing their part nobly, but these are primarily infantry battles, and what Napoleon said of the marching men remains as true of the open war of to-day as it was when spoken.

Down to about midday our troops had penetrated to a depth of nearly three miles on a front of about thirty thousand yards, and had advanced to the east of the Foret de Raismes, which means that they are along the western bank of the Escaut. A good haul of prisoners seems assured. During the course of the morning thirteen hundred had assembled in the collecting cages of the First Army.

WOMEN ADMITTED TO PARLIAMENT.

COMMONS' DECISION.

OVERWHELMING MAJORITY

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Herbert Samuel moved—"That, in the opinion of this House it is desirable that a bill should be passed forthwith making women eligible as members of Parliament." He said that the resolution was a natural consequence of the action taken by Parliament earlier in the year in enacting the enfranchisement of women. It was now decided that sex was not to be a bar against citizenship, and it followed that sex ought not to be a bar from taking part in Parliamentary life. They could not say that six million women should be voters, but that not one should be a legislator. They had given up the old narrow doctrine that women's only sphere was home and nothing but home. They had given up the old theory that woman was nothing better than a mere adjunct to man. The risks which would be faced in enacting that women might be elected to Parliament were far less than those deliberately undertaken when they enacted the enfranchisement of women. A perfect State should include both men and women as its citizens. Life was on a two-sex basis, and they could not put politics on a one-sex basis. To those who were still doubtful as to the wisdom of the enfranchisement of woman, he pointed out that when they were dealing with representation they were not dealing with women in the mass, but with women who were selected—exceptional women—and were able to win the confidence of a large number of electors. Anything which rendered that House more truly representative of the nation, and enabled every point of view to be more fully and freely expressed, strengthened the House of Commons, and added to its utility to the country. Particularly would the presence of a number of women members be of advantage in assisting the work of their Committees, and in the discussion that must ensue after the war on health, housing, education, child welfare, employment, cost of living, and other social matters, which must increasingly occupy the foreground of our politics. The experience of women as members of local authorities justified this step being taken. It was said that it was too soon to deal with the question, and that it ought to be left to the next Parliament to decide a matter of such importance. But the question ought not to be left in a state of uncertainty, because it was certain to be put to the test at the next election. It was not a matter of law for the courts to decide. It was a matter of policy that ought to be settled in Parliament. If it were not settled now it would be made a test question in every constituency. It was not for Parliament to decide whom the people should elect. It was for the people themselves to decide who their representatives should be.

Sir F. Banbury opposed the motion on the ground that it was premature, and that they ought to wait and see what was the result of giving the vote to women.

Lord R. Cecil said that the case for the motion was overwhelming, and he should like to see it so enlarged as to sweep away all the barriers against the admittance of women to the professions.

Mr. Peto opposed the proposal on the ground that the present Parliament had no right to make such a revolutionary change.

Mr. Arnold Ward supported the motion.

Sir H. Craik said he opposed women's enfranchisement, but he was ready to welcome women voters as a powerful element in the electorate. The present proposal, however, was made at a most inopportune moment before an opportunity had been afforded women of showing that they were fit to perform the duties of legislators.

Mr. Asquith said that he did not wish to go back to the arguments for and against the extension of the suffrage to women, except to say this—that he had never failed to point out that if they once gave the vote to women they could not possibly, either logically or in policy, refuse to those whom they had enfranchised eligibility to sit in that House. The one step inevitably involved the other. The principle was perfectly simple, and the application of it here could not be disputed. The case, in fact, did not admit of argument. The only objection left was the temporising opposition of Sir F. Banbury that the proposal was inexpedient and premature. But a Parliament which had held itself qualified to extend the electorate to eight or ten millions, surely, could not be disabled from at the same time, or in immediate sequence, supplementing that by what all considerations of justice and expediency involved, namely, that the persons enfranchised should also be capable of being elected as legislators. They had swallowed the camel, and they ought not to strain at the gnat.

Sir Newton Moor, in a maiden speech, strongly supported the motion because of the noble work women had done during the war.

Mr Adamson, on behalf of the Labour Party, supported the motion as a logical outcome of granting the vote to women.

Admiral Sir H. Meux opposed the motion, not because he disliked women (on the contrary, he adored them), but because, having regard to the way the House conducted its business it was not a fit and respectable place for a women to sit in.

Sir J. Walton and Mr. Hazleton having supported the motion, the House divided. The motion was carried by 274 to 25.

OBITUARY.

MR. ROBERT NORMAN.

The death is announced of Mr. Robert Norman, B.A., LL.D., Barrister-at-Law, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman, Newtown, Tramore, which occurred on the 11th inst. at Johannesburg, South Africa, from pneumonia. The deceased was attached to the Transvaal Circuit, and was one of the best known authorities on the South African Law. As a journalist and author he was also well known, and his recently published law book is considered by many to be a standard work on the subject. Mr. Norman served in the South African War, and his health, impaired in the campaign, prevented him from taking part in the present war with his three brothers, who are at present serving in the Army.

BELFAST PRISON INQUIRY.

MR. HEALY'S PROTEST.

OBJECTION TO COMMISSIONER.

CENSORED CORRESPONDENCE.

When the House of Commons went into Committee on the Special Commission (Belfast) Prison Bill yesterday, Mr. T. M. Healy moved the insertion of the name of the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland in place of that of the Right Hon. Wm. Huston Dodd as Chairman of the Commission. He did not want, he said, to cast any reflection on the name or impartiality of the learned judge mentioned in the bill. He made his motion solely on religious grounds, and his only reason for mentioning the Lord Chief Justice was in order to enable him to make his protest. The Government originally promised that the inquiry should be conducted by a Catholic official—namely, The MacDermot. Without any explanation, they proceeded to appoint a Presbyterian judge. He wanted to know the reason for the change, as he regarded it as a monstrous reflection cast upon a blameless official, a gentleman of ancient lineage, who had conducted himself in his official position without reproach. Some explanation was called for. He contended that the subject matter of the inquiry was one which affected the rights of the Catholic religion and Catholic bodies, and in such a matter a Catholic official should be the person to inquire into it. Some judge should be appointed who understood the nature of the indignities which were offered to these ninety unfortunate persons.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S REPLY.

Mr. Shortt said that he could not accept the amendment. The honourable gentleman had asked for an explanation of why, after having announced The MacDermot as the judge, the Government made an alteration. When last the question was raised in the House he (the Chief Secretary) discussed the question of the constitution of the tribunal with him as a private member of the House. Later he saw in the newspapers that the hon. and learned member was counsel for one of the parties whose case was to come before the tribunal. He (Mr. Shortt), therefore, ceased to discuss the matter with him, and he set up some other tribunal instead of The MacDermot. There was no question of politics or religion in the appointment of Mr. Justice Dodd. If the suggestions made in the affidavit were true, it wanted no Catholic to know that their treatment was outrageous. From the way the hon. member talked, one would think that the prisoners who made the charges were the persons who were being tried; but they were bringing charges against the prison officials, the doctor, and the police. Was it suggested that for that reason they were to choose the colour, religious and political, of the person who was to preside? That was a monstrous suggestion. There was nothing which could be suggested in any considerable way against Mr. Justice Dodd.

Mr. Healy said that the revelations which the Chief Secretary had made did not do him much credit. He asked at that table suggestions from him (Mr. Healy), and he suggested in the House the appointment of The MacDermot. He was never counsel for any of the prisoners, neither by brief nor retainer. The newspaper paragraph appeared months after he made the suggestion as to the appointment of the judge, and, because he suggested The MacDermot, the Chief Secretary now turned round. The right hon. gentleman had some reason to be ashamed of the transaction, because he censored his own letter to him (Mr. Healy). He sent his reply to the Chief Secretary to the Press.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Would the Chief Secretary allow his letter to be published with his (Mr. Healy's) reply?

Mr. Shortt—It has been published.

Mr. Healy—It has not. The letter of his which was published announced the appointment of The MacDermot. He wrote me a letter, which I won't characterise, but to which I gave a fitting reply. His letter he closured.

Mr. Shortt said that was incorrect. The hon. gentleman's first letter was closured by his direction. The second letter was not closured, and might be published at any time.

Mr. Healy said he sent his letter to the Press weeks ago, but not a single Irish paper had been allowed by the Censor to publish the letter or the Chief Secretary's reply.

Mr. Shortt said that was not so.

Mr. Healy maintained that his statement was correct. The Chief Secretary now said that his letter could be published. He was the master of the Censor, and he (Mr. Healy) hoped the Censor and the Irish Press would take notice of this. Could his (Mr. Healy's) reply be published?

Mr. Shortt—Certainly not the first letter, which was a gross prejudging of the whole of the case.

Mr. Healy said that if an Irish member invited by the Government ventured to submit a name for an important commission, acted on that invitation in public, it seemed now that that was a good reason why the person suggested should not be appointed. The right hon. gentleman's letter was published throughout Ireland proclaiming that The MacDermot was to be the Commissioner to inquire into this matter, and nobody dreamt of taking any exception to his nomination. Subsequently the Chief Secretary stated that he saw a paragraph, which was absolutely false, that he (Mr. Healy) was to be counsel for these prisoners, and the right hon. gentleman wrote him a letter, and he (Mr. Healy) sent a reply, which he would not allow to be published. Then he cancelled his own public undertaking to appoint The MacDermot, delayed the matter for three months, and then appointed a wholly different gentleman. His argument now was that it was not the prisoners who were on their trial, but the officials. But did that make it any better? There was not a man in Ireland who would believe the Chief Secretary's story as to the secret of this appointment.

The amendment was negatived.

FURTHER AMENDMENTS.

Mr. T. M. Healy moved an amendment providing that the inquiry should be extended to complaints of prisoners other than those in the month of June. He said the reason why these abominable outrages had taken place was that these prisoners were sent to Belfast because the Government knew that these were Orange visiting justices, and that if there was an inquest, as in the case of Ashe in Dublin, the friends of the murdered man would only have an Orange tribunal to appeal to. The right hon. gentleman had herded the prisoners into one concentration camp in Belfast, far away from their friends. They now wanted to find out why he had selected Belfast as the venue in this matter.

Mr. Shortt opposed the amendment. He said that it would be a judicial inquiry into a matter of fact. The question of the moving of the prisoners would not form part of it. The amendment was totally unnecessary.

The amendment was negatived, and the clause passed.

Mr. Healy then moved on Clause 2 that no claim of privilege should be made to or allowed by the Commissioner in respect of any report made to the Prisons Board, or any books or documents relating to the treatment or punishment of the prisoners. He said that one of the reasons why he interfered in this matter was because the authorities gave his nephew five months in jail after his brother had offered up his life in Flanders. This latter fact did not save his nephew from indignities.

Mr. Shortt, in opposing the amendment, said that Mr. Justice Dodd, as President of the Court, would have the powers and discretion of a Judge of the High Court, and he was not going to hamper him in any way.

Mr. Healy said that the Chief Secretary suffered from lack of imagination. He did not seem to be aware that he was encouraging in Ireland something similar to what had been going on in Russia.

The amendment was negatived, and the clause passed.

PUBLICATION OF EVIDENCE.

Mr. Healy also moved an amendment to Clause 3—"That none of the powers of the Defence of the Realm Acts should be used to prohibit the publication of any evidence or statement made before the Commissioner; that no order made under the name of the competent Naval or Military Authority should apply." He said he moved the amendment in order that the report of this inquiry should not be a sham.

Mr. Shortt said the object of the amendment seemed to be to give persons who were desirous of breaking the law an opportunity of doing so. It was impossible that he could accept such an amendment.

Mr. Healy said he was not proposing anything to enable the law to be broken. His amendment was designed to enable the evidence sworn to be published. He wanted to take the power from the Censor of preventing that.

Mr. Shortt—This has nothing to do with the Censor.

Mr. Healy—If the right hon. gentleman assures me that the Censor will not interfere to prohibit publication of these reports that will entirely meet my views. I go no further than that.

The amendment was negatived.

"SPECIAL JURIES."

Mr. Healy next moved an amendment that no claim of privilege should be made to, or allowed by, the Commissioner in respect of any report made to the Prisons Board or any documents relating to the treatment or punishment of the said prisoners. The prison evidence, he said, would be blazoned forth in all the newspapers, whilst that of prisoners might be suppressed, and whilst the right hon. gentleman had announced that there might be prosecutions for perjury if prisoners were contradicted by prison witnesses, there were proclamations providing that all trials must be tried in such venue as was selected, and before special juries. They had sent prisoners to Belfast to be tried before this. In the long history of Ireland no Government, until the right hon. gentleman came into office, sent a prisoner from the South of Ireland to Belfast for trial, and he feared that if any of these prisoners were indicted for perjury that would be the device resorted to. He desired to prevent this.

Mr. Shortt said that he could not accept the amendment, the point of which he failed to appreciate. Why these people, whether officially or not, should be in a different position from anybody else in Ireland he could understand.

The amendment was negatived, and the bill was reported to the House without amendment.

THE THIRD READING.

Mr. Shortt moved the third reading.

Mr. Healy objected. His intention was to make a parting kick at the bill. There was no reason to have the third reading of a bill which had been delayed by the Government for three months.

The Chairman put the question, and in response to a further protest from Mr. Healy, said the question was one not for him, but for the House to decide.

Mr. Healy challenged a division.

The motion for the third reading was, on a division, carried by 86 votes to three.

SPECIAL EXTRA.

AMERICANS CAPTURE BANTHEVILLE.

HEAVY FIGHTING ON THE MEUSE.

LATEST OFFICIAL REPORT.

The American report issued last night says:—

On the battle-front north of Verdun we have made progress at several points, in the face of determined resistance.

In the course of a local attack in the heavily wooded and hilly country east of the Meuse, our troops took the Bois Belleu, and penetrated the enemy's positions in the Bois de Trays and the Bois de Wavrille, capturing over 100 prisoners.

West of the Meuse, Bantheville has been completely occupied, and our line has been established along the ridge north-west of the village.

In the course of bitter fighting north of Grand Pré our troops captured 75 prisoners and eight machine guns.

Artillery fire has been violent on the whole front, reaching its greatest intensity east of the Meuse and north of the Aire.

The day has been marked by increased aerial activity on the south sides of the Meuse. In the course of many combats our pursuit squadrons shot down 15 enemy aeroplanes and one observation balloon. Three of our observation balloons were destroyed, and six of our machines are missing. Our bombing units dropped five tons of explosives on enemy concentration points.

RACING SELECTIONS.

CURRAGH MEETING.

(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)

New Abbey Plate—Golden Melody.
Consolation Stakes—Vesington Chief.
Curragh Cesarewitch—Navan Lass or St. Nathey.
Athgarvan Plate—Elyra.
Autumn Stakes—Frank Webber.
Beresford Stakes—Corn Sack or Horrible.
Lord Lieutenant's Plate—Timler.

(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)

New Abbey Plate—Raeburn's Glass.
Consolation Stakes—Vesington Chief.
Curragh Cesarewitch—Golden Fleece.
Athgarvan Plate—Elyra.
Autumn Stakes—Seabloom.
Beresford Stakes—Daylight Saver.
Lord Lieutenant's Plate—Lukeston.

MR. BALFOUR AND THE GERMAN COLONIES.

WHY THEY CANNOT BE RETURNED.

Mr. Balfour and Sir John Monash, General Commanding the Air Independent Force, were the guests of the Australian and New Zealand Luncheon Club in London yesterday. The gathering was at the Savoy Hotel, and was large and representative. Sir James Mills presided.

Mr. Balfour said that, though the end of the war was not yet, the end was in sight. But he thought that we might hope that we had entered upon the last phase of this tremendous struggle, in which there would be no reversal of fortune, and that after our prolonged efforts we should enjoy the fruits of victory. He noticed that in current controversy the word "Imperialistic" had an evil odour. The British Empire was imperial, but it was not imperialistic. It was more an empire of united States than even the United States of America. And yet it was clearly impossible that the great Dominions at the Antipodes should share the intimate day-by-day political life of a free people in the Northern Hemisphere. There could not be exactly the same relations between Westminster and Sydney or Wellington as there were between Washington and San Francisco. Very well, then, there had been thrown upon us, whether we lived in Australia, in New Zealand, at the Cape, in Canada, or in this country, a great political responsibility, a new political task, for which there was no parallel in the history of the world. The great question was—Would we be able to rise to the height of that great responsibility? If we are to do so, continued Mr. Balfour, two conditions must be fulfilled. One is the material condition. The communications which unite us together are sea communications; and under no circumstances can we risk that those great arteries shall be severed by any foe, whoever he may be. (Cheers.)

THE GERMAN COLONIES.

It is from that point of view mainly, though certainly not wholly, that I, individually, and speaking for myself, face the problem of the German colonies conquered from Germany by the efforts of Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa, and of those living in the Motherland. If those colonies are returned, what security is there? What security can there be that they will not be used by their original possessors as bases for piratical warfare? (Hear, hear.)

I have given long and anxious thought to this question, and I have seen no answer to it except the answer which I am convinced all in this room will give unanimously, which is—That under no circumstances is it consistent with the safety, the security, and the unity of the British Empire that the German colonies should be returned to Germany. (Loud cheers.)

And, gentlemen, please note that this doctrine, which is approved by your applause, is no selfish or Imperialistic doctrine. It is one in which the interests of the whole civilised world are as closely concerned, or almost as closely concerned, as the interests of the British Empire itself. (Renewed cheers.)

The world is being more and more united by the bonds of commerce, of travel, and of mutual inter-communication. Are these to be at the mercy of a Power which has been bound by no treaty, checked by no scruple, and which is as deaf to its pledged word as to the voice of humanity and decent methods of warfare? (Cheers.) Therefore, fellow-citizens of mine, drawn from parts remotest from the Motherland, all may agree that if we are to remain as, in our own interests, in the interests of the world, in the highest interests of true progress and liberty, we ought to remain a united Empire, it is absolutely necessary that the ways by which we can communicate with each other should never again be at the mercy of any unscrupulous Power. (Cheers.) That is the condition of our successfully carrying on this great experiment in human organisation known as the British Empire.

THE MORAL CONDITION.

The other condition, Mr. Balfour said, was a moral one, resting upon mutual comprehension, mutual contribution, and a common conviction, springing from one origin, owning one system of laws, and animated by one system of ideals. He had always had faith that when the time of strain came this Empire would not prove itself unequal to the task. Whatever else might be said of the four years of war, that faith had been justified fully and abundantly. The enemy had had bitter disappointments as to the temper and power of the United States, the supremacy of their own Army, and the success of their submarine warfare. Above all, there was convincing proof that our Empire stood not only for freedom, but for peace. (Cheers.)

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ROLL OF HONOUR

Last night's casualty lists show the following losses:—Officers—Dead, 69; wounded or missing, 165. Rank and file—Dead, 1,003; wounded or missing, 4,033.

Major the Hon. H. Ritchie, Scottish Rifles, brother of Lord Ritchie of Dundee, is reported wounded.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

KILLED.

BAILEY, Sec. Lt. G. W. | MARRIOTT, Lt. K. M.
CLARKE, Sec. Lt. J. | TAIT, Sec. Lt. W. B.
URAM, Sec. Lt. J. M.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

SONNENBERG, Lt. M. O.

WOUNDED.

BROWN, Lt. L. H. | KERR, Sec. Lt. C. W.
CLAYTON, Sec. Lt. J. G. | McADAM, Lt. J. L.
GRIBBEN, Capt. E. | PHILLIPS, Sec. Lt. V. G. H.
HINDE, Sec. Lt. P. | TAYLOR, Sec. Lt. A. F.
HOGG, Sec. Lt. A. | WILSON, Sec. Lt. L. T.

MISSING.

WINTHROP-ANDREWS, Lt. J. | BUCKNALL, Sec. Lt. C. V.
AWDE, Lt. I. W. | DAVISON, Lt. C. W.
BECK, Lt. T., M.C. | LE LIEVRE, Sec. Lt. F. L.
BOND, Lt. F. E. | WHITMAN, Sec. Lt. T.
| YOUNG, Lt. L.

PRISONER OF WAR.

RILEY, Sec. Lt. E. I.

NOW REPORTED PRISONERS OF WAR.

ANDERSON, Lt. J. D. | McCONNELL-WOOD, Lt. A.
BEAUCHAMP, Lt. F. E. | ELLIOTT, Sec. Lt. H.
BLAKE, Sec. Lt. A. G. S. | GORMAN, Lt. G. W.
BULLEN, Lt. E. H. | McCONNELL-WOOD, Lt. A.
CLARK, Lt. C. G. | PARTRIDGE, Lt. A. T.

NOW REPORTED MISSING, BELIEVED PRISONERS OF WAR.

LEWIS, Lt. W. T. S. | O'SHEA, Lt. H. A.
LUARD, Sec. Lt. R. B.

ARMY.

KILLED

ADAM, Lt. A., Arg. and Suth'd Highrs., attd. M.G.C.
BAKER, Captain and Adjutant J. K., Scottish Rifles.
BARNARD, Second Lieutenant A., Suffolk Regiment.
BUCKMASTER, Second Lt. H. A., L.N. Lan. Regt.
CALDWELL, Captain G. R. M., Coldstream Guards.
CARTER, Captain H. G. C., M.C., Worcestershire Regt.
EVANS, Second Lieutenant G., South Staff. Regt.
FLEMING, Lieutenant H., Highland Light Infantry.
FOSTER, Lieutenant E. H., Welsh Regiment.
FULTON, Sec. Lt. H., High. L.I., attd. Sco. Rifles.
GELL, Second Lieutenant J. B. S., R.F.A.
HAWES, Lieutenant A. L., M.G.C.
HIBBS, Lieutenant R. J. W., Manchester Regiment.
LEACH, Second Lieutenant W. J., Royal Engineers.
LEVESON GOWER, Lieutenant W. G. G., C. Gds.
MAYER, Second Lieutenant F., Royal Fusiliers.
MESSERVY, Major G., M.C., Royal Field Artillery.
REES, Second Lieutenant E. M., M.C., Royal Fus.
SUTHERLAND, Second Lieutenant W., M.M., R.D.F.
THORNLEY, Lieutenant R. T., Loyal North Lan. Regt.
WALSH, Second Lieutenant J. J., Connaught Rangers.
YOUNG, Second Lieutenant B. J., Royal Warwick R.

NOW REPORTED KILLED.

CAMPBELL, Lieutenant B. H., Arg. and Suth'd H.
CLARK, Second Lieutenant C. W., Rifle Brigade.
WILKINSON, Second Lieutenant J., Arg. and Suth'd H.
BOSTOCK, Second Lieutenant J., Cheshire Regiment.
DE WIND, Second Lieut. E., Royal Irish Rifles.
LADD, Lieutenant-Colonel A. C., Worcester. Regiment.
NUTTALL, Sec. Lt. E. J., West Yorks. R. attd. M.G.C.
POWER, Second Lieutenant L. H., Tank Corps.
SMITH, Second Lieutenant J. B., S. Lan. Regiment.
SPENCER-SMITH, Capt. and Qmr. H., M.C., Leic. R.
THOMPSON, Capt. T. J. C. C., D.S.O., R.Ir. Fus., attd. Royal Irish Rifles.

DIED OF WOUNDS

ALTY, Sec. Lt. H., D.C.M., King's (L'pool) Regt.)
BRINDLEY, Second Lieutenant F. E., N. Staff. Regt.
BUY, Second Lieutenant K. E. G., Border Regiment.
GREGG, Lieutenant R., Manchester Regiment.
GAULT, Sec. Lt. A. A., R. Dub. Fus., attd. Royal Fus.
JONES, Second Lieutenant T. L., Army Service Corps.
KINAHAN, Second Lieutenant J., Royal Fusiliers.
MITCHELL, Second Lieutenant T. F., Sherwood For.
PROSSER, Second Lieutenant W., M.G.C.
SMITH, Captain D., Royal Fusiliers.

NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS.

RUSSELL, Captain and Qmr. J., Highland Light Inf.

DIED

GLENNY, Lieutenant E. H., Royal Army Medical C.
LEWIS, Second Lieutenant R. W. M., Worc. Regt.
McNICOL, Major J. H., M.C., R.A.M.C.

DROWNED.

BLACKBURNE, Lt.-Colonel C. H., D.S.O., D. Guards.
ROZELAAR, Captain S. L., Royal Berks. Regiment.
SINGLETON, Lieutenant W. J., Royal Welsh Fus.

MISSING, BELIEVED DROWNED.

CRAWFORD, Lieutenant S. G., Royal Dublin Fusiliers.
HADWORTH, Second Lieutenant T. H., Worc. Regt.
SINCLAIR, Lt. F., Royal Fus., attd. Nigeria Regt.

WOUNDED.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

BROWN, Capt. A. V. | IRONSIDE, Sec. Lt. A. S.
BURGESS, Lt. G. H. | KIRKMAN, Maj. S. C.
DEANE, Sec. Lt. W. W. | LUCAS, Maj. J. de B. T.
GIBBS, Sec. Lt. F. C. | MARKS, Sec. Lt. J. M.
GREIG, Capt. C. L., M.C. | POGNAM, Sec. Lt. R. F.
HALLAM, Sec. Lt. G. H. | ROBINSON, Lt.-Col. T. A. F.

WORCESTER REGIMENT.

GUNDRY, Lt. W. S. | HAWTREY, Lt. R. J. C. W.
HALES, Sec. Lt. G. | SMITH, Capt. G. H.

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGIMENT.

BEECH, Sec. Lt. F. C. | PEARSON, Sec. Lt. L.
BLUNT, Sec. Lt. J. V. | WATERS, Sec. Lt. H. G.
HOLLOWAY, Sec. Lt. C. E. | DICKSON, Capt. N. R., M.C.
MUSGROVE, Sec. Lt. A. J.

MANCHESTER REGIMENT.

FAZACKERLEY, Sec. Lt. J. | SMYLIE, Maj. J. P.
FOY, Sec. Lt. J. F. | TAYLOR, Capt. F. T., M.C.
HALLIDAY, Sec. Lt. R. | TURNER, Sec. Lt. F.
PARKINSON, Sec. Lt. J. S.

CONNAUGHT RANGERS.

BOND, Capt. B. W. | WALSH, Sec. Lt. C. J.
SHANLEY, Lt. H. J. | M'INTOSH, Lt. J. C.

OTHER REGIMENTS.

ABERCROMBIE, Capt. A. R., D.S.O., M.C., Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment).
ALEXANDER, Lieutenant A. C., Durham L.I.
ANGUS, Second Lieut. W. S., North Staff. Regt.
ASHTON, Second Lieutenant W. P. B., Welsh Regt.
BARRON, Second Lieutenant R., North Staff. Regiment.
BELL, Second Lieutenant K. P., Royal Field Artillery.
BERRY, Second Lieutenant F., Lincoln. Regt.
BISHOP, Second Lieutenant G. S., R.G.A.
BOYLE, Second Lieutenant J. L., Royal Fusiliers.
BRISTOL, Lieutenant E., Royal Garrison Artillery.
CALLOW, Second Lieut. E. H., Durham L.I.
CHOLMONDELEY, Second Lieut. H., Coldstream Gds.
CLARK, Second Lieutenant H., Royal Garrison Artillery.
COOK, Second Lieutenant W. T., North'n Regiment.
CROSBY, Second Lieutenant H. C., Royal Fusiliers.
CROSBY, Second Lieutenant L. D., W. Yorks. Regt.
CUNLIFFE, Capt. R. W., M.C., E. Lan. R., attd. Royal Fusiliers.
DAVIE, Second Lieutenant J. C., Royal Fusiliers.
DAY, Lieut. H. R., Lab. Corps, attd. Cam'n Highrs.
DOCHARTY, Capt. W. M'K., M.C., King's (L'pool R.).
ELLIOT, Capt. W. E., M.C., R.A.M.C., attd. Dragoons.
ELLIOTT, Captain J. M., R.A.M.C.
ELVERY, Second Lieut. J. W., Royal Dublin Fus.
EVANS, Second Lieutenant G. S., Royal Fusiliers.
FLACK, Second Lieutenant W. H., R.G.A.
GARSON, Captain H. L., M.C., R.A.M.C.
PAYNE, Second Lieutenant J. W., Tank Corps.
PERCY, Lieutenant J. M. V., Suffolk Regiment.
PIDCOCK, Second Lieut. T. R., Suffolk Regiment.
PINWILL, Lt.-Col. W. R., D.S.O., W. Yorks. R., Maj. King's (L'pool Regt.).
PITKETHLEY, Second Lieut. W. B., North'd Fus.
PRIAULX, Lieutenant F. W., M.C., Scots Guards.
RIDLEY, Second Lieut. G. C., East Surrey Regt.
RITCHIE, Major Hon. H., D.S.O., Scottish Rifles.
ROBINSON, Second Lieutenant H. E., M.G.C.
ROE, Capt. L. W., Sher. For., attd. Tank Corps.
ROGERS, Capt. C. R. De W., Lein. R., attd. Glouc. R.
ROGERS, Second Lieut. J. F., Royal Fusiliers.
RUTHERFORD, Lt. G. W. A., Yeomanry, attd. Black Watch.
SEEKER, Rev. W. H. N., M.C., A. Chap. Dept., attd. Coldstream Guards.
GILL, Second Lieut. E. R., King's (L'pool Regt. R.).
GROVES, Captain E. J., M.C., Ches. R., attd. K.O. (Yorkshire L.I.).
HALL, Sec. Lt. J. R., K.R. Rif. C., attd. Linc. R.
HAMER, Second Lieut. J. H., K.O. (R. Lanc. R.).
HAMILTON, Second Lieut. T., Highland Light Infantry.
HODGKINSON, Second Lieut. H. E., Middlesex Regt.
HOME, Lieutenant J. D., Machine Gun Corps.
JOHNSON, Second Lieut. E. F., Middlesex Regiment.
KEEVIL, Captain A., M.C., M.B.E., R. Munster Fus., attd. Royal Dublin Fusiliers.
LEWIS, Second Lieutenant L. E., M.C., M.G.C.
M'EVOY, Second Lieut. D. A., Lein. R., attd. Lond. R.
MAWSON, Second Lieutenant G. S., M.G.C.
MAY, Second Lieutenant L. F., North Staff. Regt.
MISA, Capt. V. H., M.C., Dragoon Gds., attd. M.G.C.
MOSLEY, Second Lieut. E. B., Coldstream Guards.
MOSS, Second Lieutenant G., Shropshire L.I.
MURRISH, Lieut. J., Duke of Corn. L.I., attd. R.E.
PARKER, Second Lieut. E. W., M.C., Royal Fusiliers.
SERVICE, Second Lieut. D. S., Gordon Highlanders.
SLINGER, Second Lieutenant G. F., M.G.C.
STAFFORD, Second Lieutenant A. E., Middlesex Regt.
STOCKDALE, Lieutenant F. H. G., Royal Engineers.
SWEETING, Sec. Lt. F. A., Lond. R., attd. T.M. Bty.
TAYLOR, Second Lieutenant F. G., Coldstream Guards.
THURSBY, Lieut. F. D. V., O.B.E., Suffolk Regt.
UTTERSON KELSO, Lt.-Col. J. E., D.S.O., M.C., Royal Scots Fusiliers.
WALKER, Second Lieutenant J., M.C., M.G.C.
WARD, Second Lieutenant E. E., Royal Fusiliers.
WELLS, Major W. W., R.A.M.C.
WHATTON, Major S. M. de H., M.C., R.F.A.
WIGGINS, Lieutenant A. B., Lincoln. Regiment.
WILES, Lieutenant F. W., Worcester Regiment.
WOODBURN, Captain D. R., Royal Garrison Artillery.
WOODWARD, Second Lieut. W., North Staff. Regt.

NOW REPORTED WOUNDED.

FISKEN, Sec. Lt. J., North'd Fus., attd. Lan. Fus.

MISSING.

DANSON, Sec. Lt. F. A., L.N. Lan. R., attd. R. Lan. R.
M'NISH, Lt. J. A., Hunts. Cyc. Bn., attd. Camb. R.
SYKES, Second Lieut. L. H., South Stafford Regt.

NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS AS PRISONERS OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS.

MATTHEWS, Second Lieut. G., West Yorkshire Regt.
SCOTT, Lieut. J. Y., Lancers, attd. R.W. Surrey Regt.
TOD, Lieut. A. R., East Surrey Regiment.
WHICKER, Lieut. F. F., London Regiment.

NOW REPORTED WOUNDED AND PRISONERS OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS.

FRASER, Capt. L., M.C., Seaforth Highlanders.
GUNN, Second Lieut. A. A., M.C., Seaforth Highrs.
TOWLER, Second Lieut. E. E., South Lancashire Regt.
WHITLOCK, Lieut. A. W., M.C., Royal Fusiliers.

PRISONER OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS.

LOWSON, Lieut. S. G., Essex Regiment.

NOW REPORTED PRISONERS OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS.

ELLIOTT, Second Lieut. J. E., Royal Field Artillery.
KITCH, Second Lieut. A. W., L.N. Lancashire Regt.
RIDEOUT, Second Lieut. F. O., East Yorkshire Regt.
SCOBY, Lieut. H. H., Yorks. R., attd. E. Yorks. R.
SIMMONS, Second Lieut. W. R., M.M., R. Irish Regt.
SWINBURNE, Second Lieut. M., K.O. (R. Lanc. R.).
THOMPSON, Second Lieut. S. J., Royal Fusiliers.
WEBB, Second Lieut. C., Tank Corps.
YOUNG, Second Lieut. G. E., Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

KILLED.—Baldie, Sec. Lt. W. D., Aust. Inf.; Gear, Lt. J. F., M.C., Aust. Inf.; Mahoney, Capt. J. A., M.C., Aust. Inf.; Rennie, Sec. Lt. G. E., Aust. M.G.C.
NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS.—Orchard, Lt. G. D., Aust. Inf.
WOUNDED.—Holland, Lt. H. C., Aust. Inf.; Kelleway, Lt. C., Aust. Inf.; Maddrell, Lt. L. S., M.C., Aust. Inf.

OVERSEAS MILITARY FORCES OF CANADA.

KILLED.—Buchanan, Lt. C. F., B.C. Regt.; Lowes, Lt. J. W., Sask. Regt.; Youngs, Maj. J. C. L., Alta. R.
NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS.—Foster, Capt. W. G., Cent. Ont. Regt.
NOW REPORTED DROWNED.—Enright, Capt. W. J., Can. A.M.C.
WOUNDED.—Burgess, Maj. J. F., Can. A.M.C.; Clark, Capt. and Qmr. F., Can. A.M.C.; Coneybeare, Lt. G. H. P., Que. Regt.; Copeland, Lt. J. B., Alta. Regt.; Farrow, Lt. N. A., Alta. Regt.; Frost, Capt. C. G., Can. M.G.C.; Hayes, Lt. W. L., Sask. Regt.; Kappele, Lt.-Col. P., D.S.O., Can. A.M.C.; Laycock, Lt. G. R., M.M., B.C. Regt.; Middlemast, Maj. E. L., Can. Cav.; Morkill, Capt. A. B., B.C. Regt.; Paterson, Lt. W., D.C.M., B.C. Regt.; Pearch, Lt. J. F., B.C. Regt.; Steers, Lt. W. B., Can. Eng.; Watling, Lt. E. W. W., Alta. Regt.
MISSING.—Duncan, Capt. A. J., Cent. Ont. Regt.
NOW REPORTED PRISONERS OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS.—Field, Capt. G. B., Can. Eng.; James, Lt. L. R., B.C. Regt., attd. R.A.F.
CORRECTION.—WOUNDED.—Hepburn, Lt. W. R., Sask. Regt., should read—Hepburn, Lt. D. P., W. Ont. R.

SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY FORCES.

WOUNDED.—Birrell, Sec. Lt. E. D., South Afr. Inf.; Cumming, Lt. E. N., South Afr. Inf.; Esson, Lt. C. M., South Afr. Inf.; Francis, Sec. Lt. J. L., South Afr. Inf.; Higgins, Sec. Lt. J. W., South Afr. Inf.; Johnson, Sec. Lt. N. J., South Afr. Inf.; Leathern, Sec. Lt. D. A. R., South Afr. Inf.; Perry, Sec. Lt. H., South Afr. Inf.; Riley, Lt. J. W., South Afr. Inf.; Young, Sec. Lt. J. J., South Afr. Inf.

OTHER RANKS.

IRISHMEN AND MEN IN IRISH REGIMENTS ONLY.

All are Privates except where otherwise shown. The town shown against each soldier's name is the home of his next-of-kin, except when followed by the abbreviation "Enlt." when it is his place of enlistment.

KILLED.

YEOMANRY.—Houston, 100088 Sgt. A. J. (Brankstone); Williams, 74061 A. (Dublin).
IRISH GUARDS.—Long, 11297 F. W. (East Dulwich, S.E.).

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUS.—Ogden, 49684 J. O. (Preston); Patterson, 10224 L.-Cpl. J. (Belfast).

DIED.

R. IR. RIF.—M'Cormack, 47153 W. (Lambeth, S.E.).
R. IRISH FUS.—M'Cready, 18093 W. (Tynan).

WOUNDED.

IRISH GUARDS.—Brennan, 11520 P. (Lisduff); Flynn, 10002 J. (Newton Grange); Hayes, 5982 L.-Cpl. J. (Kilkenny); Hurtin, 10596 D. (Ardmore); Mayberry, 12811 T. (Westport); Murphy, 12993 H. C. (Burton-on-Trent); Redmond, 7302 P. (Ballybrittas); Wallace, 6053 P. (Dundalk).
R. INNISKILLING FUS.—Abel, 43518 F. L. (Kensington, W.); Adams, 15266 A. (Londonderry); Chapman, 42699 V. (Gloucester); Davey, 44076 H. (Wallasey); Frazer, 44071 A. (Liverpool); Greer, 25011 S. (Glasgow); Hume, 29424 A. (Belfast); Kerswill, 45096 L.-Cpl. W. G. (Tavistock); Maguire, 24167 J. (Fermanagh); Newcombe, 49586 W. (Bolton); Slater, 22942 S. (Dungannon); Sparkes, 49472 H. J. (Chester); Thomas, 49535 J. (West Cornforth).
R. IRISH RIFLES.—Barter, 47350 W. (Moordown); Killen, 9923 W. (Belfast); M'Nally, 6169 S. (Belfast); Tuohey, 2230 F. (Edmonton, N.).
R. IRISH FUS.—Fry, 27437 J. (Witton Park).

NOW REPORTED WOUNDED AND MISSING.

R. IRISH FUS.—Edginton, 19109 L.-Cpl. H. (West Norwood, S.E.).

NOW REPORTED NOT WOUNDED.

LEINSTER REGT.—Hillen, 5098 E. (Drogheda).

WOUNDED, MISSING, AND PRISONERS.

BRITISH RED CROSS AND ST. JOHN.—Searches made free. Apply Hon. Sec., Enquiry Department, 51 Dawson street, Dublin.

Captain M. Lea Cooper, D.F.C., R.A.F.—We regret to announce that Captain Maurice Lea Cooper, D.F.C., R.A.F., has been reported killed in action on October 2nd, 1918. Captain Cooper was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper, 24 Herbert Park, Dublin. He was only 19 years and 9 months' old, and was one of the youngest Flight Commanders in the service. He joined the Royal Naval Air Service in April, 1917, received his pilot's certificate in July, 1917, and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, for gallantry in action on June 3rd, 1918. He was promoted Captain in July, 1918, and has been on active service in France since October, 1917. Captain Cooper was wounded in August last, and returned to his squadron in September.

Captain T. J. C. C. Thompson, D.S.O., Royal Irish Fusiliers, previously reported missing, and now officially reported killed, was an assistant in Messrs. J. Robb and Co.'s, Castle place, Belfast, before the war. He obtained his commission through the Queen's University O.T.C., and was gazetted to the Special Reserve of the Royal Irish Fusiliers on 25th March, 1915. He was wounded, and subsequently saw severe fighting at Ypres in 1917, and for gallantly leading his company was awarded the D.S.O.

Captain W. Pedlow, M.C.—Captain Pedlow, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, who was killed in action on the 12th inst., was the only son of Mr. William Pedlow, Senior Inspector of Schools, Dublin. He was educated in St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham, Dublin, and passed from Trinity College into Sandhurst. He joined the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and was in most of the big battles from the 1st July, 1917. It is only a short time since he received his Military Cross at Buckingham Palace. Captain Pedlow had been ordered six months' rest in home service, and had only just joined his battalion. His commanding officer **speaks of him as "being a splendid officer, who had done excellent work at the front, and who will be sadly missed by all ranks."**

Second Lieutenant T. G. B. Sutherland.—Second Lieutenant T. G. B. Sutherland, Royal Munster Fusiliers, is reported to have been admitted to an hospital, suffering from a gunshot wound in the neck. Lieutenant Sutherland joined his regiment from Sandhurst in January last. He was educated at Blackrock College, Stonyhurst College, and Trinity College, Dublin.

Mr. E. Knight Roche.—Mr. Edmund Knight Roche, killed in action on 28th September, 1918, aged 22 years, was the son of the late Mr. Thomas Knight Roche, of Avonmore, Stillorgan, and Mrs. Knight Roche, of Halcyon, Anglesea road, Dublin. At the beginning of the war he entered a Cadet Corps, and became attached to the Machine Gun Corps. He was subsequently attached to the Leinster Regiment, and was twice wounded, and in hospital with blood poisoning. He saw considerable fighting—including Cambrai, Bullecourt, and the March retreat—during the last few years.

DUBLIN BOY SCOUTS' ASSOCIATION.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual public meeting in connection with the Dublin Boy Scouts' Association was held yesterday afternoon in the theatre of the Royal Dublin Society. There was a large attendance, which included a strong muster of the Scouts and Scoutmasters in uniform. While the meeting assembled patriotic airs were played on the organ by Mr. S. Lovett, F.R.C.O. The chair was taken by Mr. J. R. Clegg, President. Others on the platform were:—The Right Hon. the Recorder, Mr. E. H. Andrews, D.L.; Sir William Fry, D.L.; Captain Romanes, Hon. Secretary; Professor A. F. Dixon, and Mr. J. Good.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Land of Hope and Glory" by the Leeson Park Troop, with organ accompaniment, the audience joining in the chorus.

The Chairman read the annual report, which stated that during the year new troops had been formed at Rathfarnham, Rathgar (Presbyterian Church), Arbour Hill, Sandford, St. Andrew's. The Wolf Cubs had been increased by new packs at Rathgar, Zion Church, and Sandford, the total number of Scouts being now 570, and of Wolf Cubs 180. There had also been an addition of 50 members to the roll of the Association. The report detailed events of the year, including the winter rally and exhibition in the Mansion House, the Memorial Service in Christ Church Cathedral in honour of the Scouts who had fallen in the war, and the summer rally in Lord Iveagh's grounds, which Lord French inspected, and at which he delivered a stirring speech. It was also mentioned that the list of new patrons of the Association included the names of Viscount French, the Archbishop of Dublin, the Lord Chancellor, Colonel Carr Ellison, the Lord Chief Justice, and Judge Brereton Barry.

Mr. E. H. Andrews, D.L., vice-president, proposed the adoption of the report, and also a resolution declaring that the meeting considered the Dublin Boy Scouts' Association worthy of the support of the city and county of Dublin, and pledging itself to do all in its power to sustain and further the movement. He knew of no movement in modern times which had done so much good as the Boy Scout movement throughout the British Empire. Never in the history of the Empire were we so dependent on the rising generation than at the present moment. In the present awful war we had seen the flower of our young manhood maimed and broken and lost for ever to the country, and it depended very largely on the discipline and organisation of the younger generation to carry on the glory and traditions of the Empire. The movement had made great progress in Ireland, and would make greater progress in the future, because it was teaching young citizens to be loyal subjects. He appealed especially to parents to support the movement, because it improved the *morale* of the boys, and the same applied to the girls. What the Boy Scouts had done in the war was on record, and while we were all looking forward to a comparatively early ending of the war it must be very many years before the country became what it was, and in that respect everything depended on the education and discipline of the younger generation. He regretted the absence of the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Quan Smith, who took a great interest in the movement, and who had done everything possible to advance it. Having paid tribute to the services rendered by the late Hon. Secretary, Mr. Stewart, and his successor, Capt. Romanes, he appealed to all present to support the movement, for were it not for the young men of the country we should have found ourselves in a different position to that in which we were now placed.

Scout Master R. J. Henchy seconded the motion, which was unanimously adopted.

The song "A-Scouting we will go," having been sung by the Scouts of the Royal Hibernian Military School.

The Chairman said that the next item would be a tribute to the memory of one of their Scout Commissioners whom they had only lately lost, as well as to that of those brother Scouts on their roll of honour who had fallen in the war. Sea Scout Commissioner John Ross was esteemed and beloved by the whole community of Dublin Scouts for his many fine qualities and for his ever constant devotion to the Scout movement, and his untimely and tragic end as one of the passengers on the torpedoed mail steamer Leinster had been a public as well as a private grief. The Association deeply sympathised with his stricken wife and relatives in their sore affliction, and looked upon the death of Mr. Ross, occasioned as it was by the wilful and deliberate act of the unscrupulous enemy, as coming within the ambit of those who had in this great war made the supreme sacrifice. To his memory, as well as to the memory of their gallant Scouts who had fallen in the fighting line, and whose names were inscribed on the roll of honour, they offered the soldier's tribute of "The Last Post."

While "The Last Post" was sounded by the Scout buglers of the Royal Hibernian Military School the audience remained standing.

A series of lantern slides depicting the Scouts at work having been shown,

Dr. A. F. Dixon, Chairman of the Executive Committee, proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Andrews and to all who had helped, including the Royal Dublin Society for the use of the theatre, to the Press for its support during the year, and to Mr. Lovett for presiding at the organ.

Sir William Fry, D.L., seconded the motion, which was passed by acclamation.

The Chairman announced the results of the election of officers, including Major MacGillycuddy as President for the year, and Professor A. F. Dixon, Sc.D., as Chairman of Executive (re-elected).

The meeting ended with the singing of "God Save the King."

THE IRISH CATTLE EMBARGO.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Last night in the House of Commons, in reply to Mr. William Field, Major Astor, for the Ministry of Food, stated:—"The holding back of cattle was the only policy which would secure the necessary meat ration for the first four months of next year." Apparently the Ministry of Food regard cattle like chests of tea, which can be put back into dry store until required.

Do they suppose that fat cattle can be held on pastures through winter to spring? Presumably they intend them to be house-fed. Even were sufficient roots available—which is not the case—Ireland has not farm-buildings to house five *per cent.* of the cattle now fit for slaughter. This latest move is clearly in the interests of English and Scottish farmers, for whom farm-buildings have been provided by their landlords, and who desire to tenant them with cheap Irish cattle.

Even did time permit, war conditions forbid the provision in Ireland now of even the most modest farm-building.—Yours, etc.,

P. J. KENNEDY.

Rathcore, Enfield, Co. Meath, October 22nd, 1918.

DIOCESE OF CORK, CLOYNE, AND ROSS.

DR. DOWSE ON IRELAND AND THE WAR.

Yesterday, in the Gregg Hall, the annual Synod of the united diocese of Cork, Cloyne, and Ross opened, under the presidency of the Bishop (Right Rev. Dr. Dowse).

In opening the proceedings,

The President said he thought it right to give expression to what he believed were the thoughts of the Synod in connection with the sinking of the ss. Leinster. They regarded that dastardly act with feelings of detestation and loathing. The destruction of that ship had sent a thrill of horror throughout the civilised world, and had cast a lurid shadow on a nation capable of such a deed at a moment when her Government were suing for a peace, said to be in the interests of humanity. It was hard to speak in measured terms of a crime so foul. They could only hope that it would emphasise the necessity of securing complete and unconditional surrender by this degraded nation before any recognition be given of her desire for peace. He was confident that the Synod desired to express their deepest sympathy with those who mourned, and to pray that the God of all comfort may bind up their broken hearts, and help them bravely to face the future.

Turning to the report of the Diocesan Council, he said the Synod would be glad to have submitted to them a resolution as last year, directing the payment of a bonus to the clergy. The Commission appointed by the General Synod for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting on the question of the union of parishes receiving poor parish grants from the General Synod, and on the augmentation of clerical incomes had issued its report, which contained the following paragraph:—"The Commission recommend that when any parish in a suggested union becomes vacant, the Diocesan Synod should forthwith suspend the Board of Nomination, with a view to the completion of the union at the earliest possible opportunity, and that if, from any reason, the union is not effected, all grants given by the R.B. should be withdrawn." Amalgamations, generally speaking, were not popular in the parishes concerned; and, no doubt, where the population and other circumstances supplied sufficient work and a living wage there, one or more clergy in each parish was what all desired. He would spend poor parish grants to the last farthing on the maintenance of parishes that cannot effectively be joined with others, and whose parishioners, by reason of poverty or smallness of numbers, cannot keep up their assessment. He advocated amalgamations because they offered more work and more income, and, therefore, made for a more efficient ministry and consequent advantages to the laity and to the whole church. As they thought of the contribution of their clergy to the spiritual needs of their soldiers, they could not refrain from mention of other matters connected with the great war. They were thankful for the splendid and heroic deeds of their sailors and soldiers, and those of their Allies, and for their continued endurance. They were thankful for the timely and whole-hearted entrance of America into the war, and for the success that had attended the united efforts of the Allies during these past weeks, giving assurance of complete victory if only they endured to the end. Their hearts were thrilled as they think of Palestine delivered from the desolating oppression of the Turks, and the restoration of freedom to the Holy Land. For these things they might, indeed, be thankful, and offer sincerest praise to Almighty God for the great things He had done by means of their heroic sailors and soldiers. And yet for Irishmen there was one dark blot on the brightness around them. They, as a country, were largely standing aloof. The very greatness of the sacrifices endured by the Allies served to intensify Ireland's shame. No doubt, there were many noble exceptions, and Irish sailors and soldiers had played a part second to none in heroism and devoted service on behalf of freedom and righteousness. But the fact that Ireland generally had refused to take her proper and full share of the burden must ever remain the measure of her degradation and disgrace. What an opportunity was given to the Nationalists of Ireland! Had they heartily and loyally espoused the cause of the Allies and sent the young men of this country to bear a glorious part in the fighting line in the defeat of oppression and tyranny, and the establishment of truth and right, what demand could England have refused had they taken such a course as that? The realisation of all their desires was at hand. As it was, it was hard to see how England could give fulfilment to the desires of a people who refused her help, and by so doing aided and encouraged her enemies. But however Ireland may stand in lonely selfishness, thinking only of herself and her own petty grievances, in the midst of world-wide happenings and events that were calling for the cooperation of all the peoples of the earth, victory, sure, complete, and far-reaching, was coming to the Allies, and men were even now looking to the future and preparing for reconstruction. In the forefront stands the motto, "Never Again." War must be no more; this must be the last. But how was this great ideal to be achieved? Was it by a League of Nations, when victory, complete and absolute, has been gained, and Prussian militarism crushed for ever? May we hope, with President Wilson, that the world will be governed by "a reign of law based upon the consent of the governed, and sustained by the organised opinion of mankind"? It was a great ideal that Christian men have no will to quarrel with it. The Church had proclaimed throughout the ages the brotherhood of man, founded on the everlasting fact of the fatherhood of God. It may be that this proclamation was but faltering, as though, too good for realisation; perhaps now from the clash of war the world was learning that here alone it can find a sure foundation for the Temple of Peace, and was beginning to pray the old prayer, "Our Father," with a deeper meaning and a wider hope.

When the report of the Diocesan Council was taken into consideration,

Precentor Abbott called attention to the subject, which figured very largely in the report, on the amalgamation of parishes, and moved—

That the Diocesan Synod directs the Diocesan Council to take into consideration the question of such amalgamations of parishes throughout the dioceses as may seem necessary or desirable, having regard first to the spiritual efficiency and work of the church; secondly, to a better distribution of man power, and thirdly, to greater financial economy, the Council to report to the Synod of 1919.

Rev. A. Irwin seconded the motion.

Mr. R. Williams strongly opposed any amalgamation, and said the adoption of the motion would have most sweeping consequences. It was a subtle motion, and he moved its rejection.

Messrs. J. Bird, Queenstown; T. Wolfe, and J. Good agreed with Mr. Williams.

The Dean of Cork said the clergy wanted large spheres of work. That was the object of amalgamation, but due consideration would be given to all churches being kept open and the people looked after. The clergy should have a living wage.

On a show of hands the motion was passed by a large majority.

The Diocesan Council recommended that a special bonus for the year be granted to the clergy of the diocese, as follows:—

(1) To each incumbent whose parochial stipend under the Diocesan scheme does not exceed £250, a bonus of £25. (2) To each incumbent whose parochial stipend under the Diocesan Scheme exceeds £250, a bonus of £20. (3) To each curate-assistant, whether appointed under the Diocesan Scheme or the General Superannuation Statute, a bonus of £15. (4) To the minor canon of St. Fin Barre's, a bonus of £25. All incumbents not under the Diocesan Scheme shall be regarded as having stipends of £250, and shall receive bonus accordingly. When clergymen have served in the diocese for part of the year only, or have moved from one parish to another within the diocese, payments shall be adjusted in accordance with the foregoing rates.

This was unanimously agreed to, and, on the motion of Mr. R. Williams, a special war bonus of £15 to Rev. W. A. Lamb and Rev. I. H. McConnell was passed on a division.

It was decided to give a bonus of £12 10s. each for the year to retired clergymen.

The report of the Board of Education, Temperance Committee, Board of Missions, etc., were moved and adopted.

EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN CONVENTION.

The annual Convention of the World's Evangelical Alliance (Irish Branch) was continued yesterday, when the meetings, afternoon and evening, were well attended.

Mr. W. H. Going, who presided at the afternoon session, said that the value of the old prophecies was seen in the wonderful way God's promises were now being fulfilled.

Mr. Walter B. Sloan, General Secretary of the Keswick Convention Council, in the course of an address, said that, though he would not then consider it, the unity of nations was a matter upon which the influence of the Church ought to be exercised. They must regard those earthly movements sympathetically if they thought that of the condition of the nations to-day in this fearful conflict and bitter strife. Surely the heart of every Christian man must sympathise with every possible effort from the political standpoint that would in any way improve the conditions of human life. But they, as God's servants, were gathered to think more centrally of the desire that God's servants should come into close fellowship one with another, which was the outcome of fellowship with God. Every writer in the New Testament, while setting forth standards, called them to share the life that they were living. They heard a great deal to-day about ideals, but ideals belonged much more to the region of philosophy than to the region of religion, and a great modern theologian had said that the word ideal had its affinities with the law rather than the Gospel. That was a great truth. The ideal was the standard set before people, without any reference to the possibilities by which it was to be attained. The Gospel set before them the highest standard conceivable, but the very centre of the Gospel was the provision that had been made for their becoming Christ-like, and the likeness of Christ was the standard of all standards.

The Convention will conclude with the meeting this evening.

The Bishop of Liverpool has presented the Rev. Travers S. Stoney to the Living of St. Mary's, Wavertree, Liverpool.

LADY CLERKSHIPS BANK OF IRELAND.

At the last 4 exams. 19 Students were successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, including 4 of the 6 Appointments at the last exam.—(Advt.)

THE INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

STILL PREVALENT IN DUBLIN.

The influenza epidemic continues to claim many victims in Dublin, and the number of funerals yesterday was abnormally large.

Mr. P. T. Daly, T.C., Chairman of the Public Health Committee; Sir Charles Cameron, Medical Officer of Health, and Dr. M. Russell visited the Dublin hospitals yesterday for the purpose of finding out what accommodation was available for influenza patients.

The intention is to request the authorities to relieve, as far as possible, the hospitals of soldier patients by providing for them in military institutions. The health authorities believe that this could be accomplished without much difficulty, being of opinion that the Government have at their disposal ample hospital accommodation. If not, the Government has power to commandeer institutions which would serve as such.

The percentage of deaths from pneumonia is still high, and the greatest precaution is urged in the preliminary stages so as to avoid serious developments.

At an inquest in Derry Jail on the body of a young woman named Martha Moore, aged 24, a native of Co. Tyrone, it was stated that deceased had been suffering from influenza, which developed into pneumonia. A verdict was returned accordingly. In Limerick fifteen deaths are attributed to the epidemic, which later developed into pneumonia. Outbreaks are also reported from Strabane and Loughrea.

The influenza epidemic in London shows no signs of abating. About 500 London General Omnibus Company employés are away with influenza. The epidemic is spreading in East Herts and West Essex, and many deaths have occurred. Among the victims is L. D. Drysdale, the Essex County champion runner. All elementary schools in Bishop Stortford and Bishop Stortford College are closed. Many deaths have occurred at Southport from influenza. All elementary schools are closed.

Some distressing cases have occurred in which several members of a family have been stricken with fatal results. In Clontarf a mother and her three sons succumbed within a week, and to-day we announce an almost similar sad case of the deaths from pneumonia of three children, whose ages were from six months to five years, all of whom died almost within a week.

The rate of mortality in 96 great towns of England and Wales last week averaged 20.7. London was 20, Dublin 38, Glasgow 38, and Belfast 11. The deaths from influenza last week in England and Wales totalled 1,895. Of this number, 761 were located in Greater London.

The epidemic in Capetown, Kimberley, and Johannesburg has taken an encouraging turn. From other parts of the country there are reports of serious local outbreaks. The death roll in Johannesburg during the past week was 600, and for a similar period in the Kimberley district 4,000, of whom 400 were Europeans. In Bombay, on the 5th inst., 768 deaths were registered, the highest record for one day. The deaths for the week ending October 6 totalled 4,844, and the previous week 3,205. A decree has been issued in Copenhagen closing all theatres and places of entertainment.

THE OUTBREAK IN RATHDOWN UNION.

At the meeting of the Rathdown Board of Guardians to-day, Mr Clarke, J.P., presided.

A communication from the Local Government Board was read in reply to the resolution passed at the last meeting of the Guardians in reference to the outbreak of influenza in the district. The Local Government Board suggested that the Guardians should get the assistance of any voluntary workers in the district, who would visit the homes of the patients and advise them as to the precautions to be taken. Owing to the shortness of the supply of nurses, and the wide area of the epidemic, it would, in the opinion of the Local Government Board, be impossible to obtain a sufficient number of trained nurses to assist the medical officers.

The Chairman—Very kind of them to send us advice, but they do not send us another doctor.

The Clerk said they needed another doctor, and he had telephoned to all the hospitals and institutions, as well as to private addresses, for another doctor, but without success.

A Guardian—What is the remuneration?

The Clerk—A guinea a day, but I cannot get a doctor anywhere.

TREATMENT BY VACCINE.

Letter from Professor Culverwell.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the hope that certain medical authorities might see their way to take more effective steps than I could to save life and prevent sickness from the influenza epidemic, I have waited more than a week before publishing facts, which, spread privately from one physician to another, have led to a widespread use of a vaccine for influenza in the neighbourhood of Dublin. But when I found this evening that the South Dublin Union, with 200 influenza patients, knew nothing of it, it seemed almost criminal to delay, and, as the names of medical men cannot be given in public correspondence, I am compelled, as a guarantee of first-hand knowledge, to state my own part in the matter.

When the epidemic was at its height in Howth I asked a physician to give me specimens of *sputa* from patients whose lungs were seriously affected, and at the same time asked an expert bacteriological friend to make cultures and seek for the germs. This was done. An influenzal type of bacillus was found in all the *sputa*, no other pathogenic germ being common to all, and, most remarkable, no *pneumococcus* was found in any of the *sputa*.

The vaccine made from a pure culture of the bacillus has been used in Howth for some time, with complete success in all cases in which it was given early, and in doses of not less than eight millions, all such cases having recovered satisfactorily.

As a striking example of its efficiency I may mention one case of a community. Sixteen were struck down, temperatures running as high as 104°, and there were chest complications. Temperatures dropped to nearly normal in from twenty-four to forty-eight hours. Of the remaining thirty-four, seventeen were given prophylactic injections, the remaining seventeen being left as a control. Of the latter, thirteen were severely attacked, but did well under treatment. Of the seventeen protected inmates, four developed influenza next morning, showing that they were certainly in the incubating stage when the injection was given, and three more got it somewhat later. These seven all had it very lightly, "like a common cold, and with no after effects."

These and many other particulars will doubtless soon appear in medical journals, and names cannot be published; but in the meantime lives are being lost, and I can think of no better step to take than to say that, if any medical man interested will write to me putting the word "Vaccine" on the envelope, I will forward it to the bacteriologist, who will, I am sure, send a supply of the vaccine to him, if it be possible. In the meantime, all the bacteriological laboratories ought to be employed in making stocks of vaccine.—Yours, etc.,

E. P. CULVERWELL.

Trinity College, Dublin, October 23rd, 1918.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The public are quite rightly alarmed at the widespread and severe nature of the present epidemic. The influenza bacillus is found in the respiratory passages and in the lungs also when pneumonia occurs, but other organisms are present as well. There are several types of the disease. One affects the respiratory organs chiefly; another the nervous system and the heart; while a third attacks the digestive system, in particular. But in all cases depression is a marked feature of the illness. The respiratory type seems to be the most common one in this epidemic, and the catarrh, or inflammation of the bronchial tubes, has a special tendency to descend into the lungs and produce bronchopneumonia, which is the most fatal complication. The cold and damp weather, as at present existing, and an attempt on the part of persons attacked to go about and engage in their daily vocations while they are coughing and feverish, are undoubtedly the reasons why pneumonia is so prevalent. The infection of the disease is probably conveyed to others by the cough and expectoration of those affected. The incubation period varies from "one to four days, oftenest three to four days." Sudden onset characterises the disease, and, with the very first symptoms of shivering or a feeling of illness, those so affected should go to bed, and remain in bed until they are fever free at least.

A vaccine prepared from the organisms found in the expectoration of affected persons is in use. It is prepared in the College laboratories, is available to medical men who desire to use it, and it is given not only as a preventive, but as a curative agent. I believe that the results obtained justify to the full its extended administration.

It is deplorable that schools, churches, picture houses, and theatres cannot be compulsorily closed for several weeks. This would be a common-sense measure to adopt. It seems to be a futile attitude for the Medical Superintendent Officer of Health to advise parents to keep their children from school when the schools are allowed to remain open, and there is no doubt that the children, when kept from school, would seek diversion in the picture houses or other places of amusement.—Yours, etc.,

"M.D., F.R.C.P.I."

Dublin, October 23rd, 1918.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. F. C. RYAN.

The funeral of the late Mr. Francis Collette Ryan, M.R.C.V.S., Board of Agriculture, took place to Mount Jerome Cemetery yesterday. Mr. Ryan was for many years connected with the Veterinary Branch of the Board of Agriculture, where he was highly esteemed by all his colleagues and many friends.

The chief mourners were:—Dr. J. V. Ryan, Tipperary (brother); Mrs. J. Ryan (sister-in-law); Fred. Ryan (brother); Harold Cole, Worcester Regt., and W. H. Rickards (cousins).

The Prime Minister and Mrs. Lloyd George have accepted an invitation to be present at the Lord Mayor of London's banquet at the Guildhall on November 9th.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS.

May, 1918:—Our Students obtained 43 Successes, including 26 in Typewriting.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville st., Dublin.—(Advt.)

SPORTING NEWS.

CURRAGH MEETING—YESTERDAY.

NATIONAL PRODUCE STAKES. VICTORY OF GRAND PARADE.

If the sport on the middle day scarcely reached the standard set up on Tuesday, it was none the less of an enjoyable character, and backers fared somewhat better than on the opening afternoon. Double Dew, who was installed favourite for the Flying Plate, got so badly away that her prospects were destroyed at the start, and Dark Eyes, Grey Mag, and Elfterion were in little better case. Mount Lebanon was in the van for four furlongs, when he gave way to Crushed Glass and Ballinacarrig, the former of which pair won almost as easily as at Phœnix Park last month. When wagering opened on the Apprentice Plate the layers asked for a shade of odds about Capital, but with a lot of money forthcoming for Glenfarg and Homocea, the price expanded to 5 to 2. He ran well, but the weight fairly tied him to the ground in the closing stages, and Glenfarg, heading the swerving Homocea half-way up the straight, scored a trifle comfortably, this being his maiden success.

The presence of Grand Parade in the field for the chief race of the day, the National Produce Stakes, had the effect of frightening away all opposition except Killeen and Petite Fille. The prohibitive odds of 10 to 1 were laid on Lord Glanely's colt, who was looking in excellent fettle, and they were duly landed, but not before his backers had experienced some uneasiness. Killeen stuck tenaciously to the crack for the greater part of the journey, and it was only at the half-distance that he finally asserted superiority, to win in the end by half a length. In a field of eighteen for the Short Grass Plate Waterford Glass was backed down to 6 to 4, and she justified the confidence reposed in her, but it was only after a desperate set-to that she got the better of Quite Dark. She belongs to Lady McCalmont, who earlier in the day won with Crushed Glass, and both winners are by Rising Glass, who stands at Mount Juliet, in County Kilkenny.

The odds laid on Patlander for the Equinox Plate, which is endowed with 500 sovs., were floored in decisive fashion by Lady Palotta, whose first success this was since carrying off a race in the spring. The owner of Patlander was recompensed to some extent when King Frusquin accounted for Lady White and King's Ransom in the Royal Whip. This is the longest race run in Ireland, the distance being four miles, despite which the pace was strong throughout, and the horses pulled up very leg-weary. Details:—

1.15.—**FLYING PLATE** of 200 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Lady McCalmont's b. g. **CRUSHED GLASS**, by Rising Glass—Force of Gravity, 3, 7-11, car. 7-13 ... Wing 1
Mr. B. M. Slocock's **BALLINACARRIG**, 4, 8-0, car. 8-1 ... H. Beasley 2
Mr. E. Delany's **AQUAFORTIS**, a, 6-7 ... J. Burns 3

Also ran:—Dark Eyes (M. Beary), Elfterion (D. Ward), Double Dew (W. Barrett), Off the White (T. Burns), Honey of Roses (J. Dawson), Brown Label (Oates), Lady Huon (Patman), Grey Mag (P. Murphy), False Hair (Quirke), Mount Lebanon (J. Harty). (Winner trained by Jeffery.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Double Dew, 6 to 1 Dark Eyes, 7 to 1 CRUSHED GLASS, 8 to 1 each Mount Lebanon and Off the White, 10 to 1 each Grey Mag and Brown Label, 100 to 8 each Aquafortis and Ballinacarrig, 20 to 1 any other.

Double Dew, Dark Eyes, and Elfterion began slowly, and Mount Lebanon, striking off the quickest, led from Off the White, Crushed Glass, Grey Mag, Aquafortis, and Ballinacarrig. Inside the distance Crushed Glass and Ballinacarrig headed Mount Lebanon, and Crushed Glass, drawing out close home, won easily by a length; two and a half lengths divided second and third. Mount Lebanon was fourth, False Hair fifth, Brown Label sixth, Lady Huon seventh, Off the White eighth, and Dark Eyes next.

1.50.—**APPRENTICE PLATE** of 100 sovs. 1¼ m.

Capt. Henderson's b. c. **GLENFARG**, by Bridge of Earn—Heron's Rest, 3, 7-12 ... Riley 1
Mr. W. Sanday's **HOMOCEA**, 4, 7-3 ... Oates 2
Sir W. Nelson's **CAPITAL**, a, 9-6 ... Quirke 3

Also ran:—Mintoi (Donnelly), Carra Lass (J. Dawson), Vivace (Gray), Knight of St. Patrick (Sharlott), Brownstown Belle (Mallon), Lord Glencairn (J. Burns), Sword Dance (Lear), Three in the Morning (M. Ward), Zephyros (P. Murphy), Fasbinder (J. Doyle). (Winner trained by Armstrong.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Capital, 3 to 1 GLENFARG, 9 to 2 Homocea, 10 to 1 Lord Glencairn, 20 to 1 any other.

Three in the Morning set the pace to Glenfarg, Capital, Zephyros, Mintoi, Lord Glencairn, Homocea, and Knight of St. Patrick, and so they ran for a mile, when Homocea took up the running, followed by Glenfarg and Capital. A little further on Glenfarg challenged, and won easily by three-parts of a length; a length divided second and third. Carra Lass was fourth, Zephyros fifth, Mintoi sixth, and Brownstown Belle next.

2.30.—**NATIONAL PRODUCE STAKES** (renewal) of 5 sovs. each. All payments for sires go to the winner, together with 400 sovs. given by the Turf Club. The sums given by owners of sires amount to £510 12/6. 6f. 63 yds.

Lord Glanely's bl. c. **GRAND PARADE**, by Orby—Grand Geraldine, 9-9 ... H. Beasley 1
Major Dixon's **KILLEEN**, 8-9 ... J. Dawson 2
Mr. P. Cullinan's **PETITE FILLE**, 8-9 M. Beary 3
(Winner trained by Behan.)

Betting—10 to 1 on GRAND PARADE, 10 to 1 agst. Killeen, 33 to 1 Petite Fille.

Grand Parade jumped off in front of Killeen and Petite Fille, and, making all the running, won easily by half a length; three-parts of a length divided second and third.

3.10.—**THE SHORT GRASS PLATE** of 200 sovs. For two-year-olds. 5 f.

Hon. Lady McCalmont's ch. f. **WATERFORD GLASS**, by Rising Glass—Allashore, 8-11 ... Wing 1
Mr. F. Tarrant's **QUITE DARK**, 8-11 ... Dines 2
Mr. P. Cullinan's **SIR WILLIAM**, 9-0 ... M. Beary 3

Also ran:—Wavy Stripe (T. Burns), Gay Lord (W. Barrett), Montgrennan (J. Canty), Flummery (Sinnott), Felon (Childs), Mint Rock (Donnelly), Belvedere (Quirke), King of Bees (D. Ward), Barcala (Thwaites), Orbite (J. Harty), La Tango (Aylin), Mullaghmast (Patman), Queen of the Hunt (Riley), Morgan le Fey (H. Beasley), Mynden Chief (Keogh). (Winner trained by Jeffery.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. WATERFORD GLASS, 6 to 1 Quite Dark, 7 to 1 Orbite, 10 to 1 each Gay Lord and Queen of the Hunt, 25 to 1 others.

Sir William led from Orbite, Wavy Stripe, Waterford Glass, Quite Dark, and Queen of the Hunt for three furlongs, when Waterford Glass drew out, and, resisting a challenge from Quite Dark, won by a head; a length and a half divided second and third. Wavy Stripe was fourth, Orbite fifth, Morgan Le Fey sixth, Gay Lord seventh, and La Tango next.

3.50.—**EQUINOX PLATE** of 500 sovs. Weight for age. 1 m.

Mr. A. H. Ledlie's ch. m. **LADY PALOTTA**, by General Symons—Palotta, a, 7-7 ... Quirke 1
Sir W. Nelson's **PATLANDER**, 4, 7-10 J. Harty 2
Capt. Shirley's **SARI BAHR**, 3, 8-4 H. Beasley 3

Also ran:—Pallene (Riley), Cross Swords (P. Murphy). (Winner trained by Parkinson.)

Betting—2 to 1 on Patlander, 7 to 1 agst. Sari Bahr, 8 to 1 each LADY PALOTTA and Pallene, 100 to 6 Cross Swords.

Pallene set the pace to Patlander, Lady Palotta, and Sari Bahr to the entrance to the straight, where Patlander took command, but was headed shortly afterwards by Lady Palotta, who won by a length and a half; two and a half lengths between second and third. Pallene was fourth.

4.30.—**ROYAL WHIP**, presented by His late Majesty King William IV. to the Turf Club, with 100 guineas added annually by His Majesty. 4 m.

Sir W. Nelson's b. c. **KING FRUSQUIN**, by St. Frusquin—Oread, 4, 11-5 ... W. Barrett 1
Mr. W. Sanday's **LADY WHITE**, 4, 11-5 ... Joseph Canty 2

Also ran:—King's Ransom (G. Brown). (Winner trained by Mullen.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. KING FRUSQUIN, 5 to 4 Lady White, 6 to 1 King's Ransom.

Lady White set a strong pace to King's Ransom and King Frusquin, until a mile from home, when King's Ransom dropped back, beaten, and a little further on King Frusquin headed Lady White, and making the remainder of the running, won by six lengths. No third placed.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

To-day's card will provide the best racing of the week, and the Curragh Cesarewitch, in particular, should furnish a fine contest. The field will be made up of the following:—

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

Col. Walker's WILDWOOD, 4, 9-2 ... T. Burns
Mr. Parrish's GOLDEN FLEECE, a, 8-3 ... H. Beasley
Mr O'Neill's NAVAN LASS, 5, 8-3 ... J. Dawson
Mr. Hartigan's GEMSBOK, 4, 7-12 ... D. Ward
Mrs. Sikes' MOHACZ, a, 7-10 ... N. Marriott
Mr. Sanday's PASTURES NEW, a, 7-10 ... J. Donnelly
Mr. Hills' SILVESTER, 3, 7-8 ... J. Thwaites
Capt. Shirley's SARI BAHR, 3, 7-4 ... J. Harty
Col. Lambton's ATTALUS, 3, 7-2 ... J. Dines
Mr. M'Garry's VAGABOND, 5, 7-2 ... M. Beary
Mr. H. West's ST. NATHEY, 3, 7-0 ... J. Patman
Mr. Bull's KROO-BOY, 6, 6-10 ... E. Quirke
Maj. Edwards' HOLY MAC, a, 6-6 ... R. Riley
Mr. Cunningham's GOOD AND PLENTY, a, 6-3 ... P. Claxton
Mr. Sikes' LADY DOREEN, 5, 6-1 ... P. Murphy
Mr. George's KATE'S BROTHER, 6, 6-1 ... T. Oates
Mr. Hogan's KNIGHT OF MANISTER, 5, 6-1 ... J. Burns

Wildwood, Golden Fleece, and Kroo-boy are the reigning favourites, and others that do not lack friends are Gemsbok, Silvester, St. Nathey, Attalus, and Vagabond. I shall rely on

GEMSBOK,

who may have most to fear from **Wildwood** and **Vagabond.** Other selections:—

New Abbey Plate—**Strolling Saint.**
Consolation Stakes—**Silver Morsel.**
Athgarvan Plate—**Quite Dark** or **William Allenby.**
Autumn Stakes—**Seabloom.**
Beresford Stakes—**Corn Sack** or **San Rafael.**
Lord Lieutenant's Plate—**Matoppo.**

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

1.15—**NEW ABBEY PLATE** of 200 sovs. A hurdle race. 1½ m.

Denizulu, 6, 12-7; Sedge Warbler, a, 12-7; Dark Eyes, 4, 12-3; Denis D'Or, 4, 11-7; Raeburn's Glass, a, 11-7; Gift Edge, 4, 11-7; Prince Lionel, 4, 11-7; Killesher, 4, 11-7; Leddiston, 5, 11-6; Strolling Saint, 5, 11-6; Golden Melody, 5, 11-6; Irish Dragoon, 4, 11-2; Elgon, a, 10-13; Gleneffy, 4, 10-11; Certosa di Pavia, 4, 10-11; Double Deck, 4, 10-11; Rather Dark, 4, 10-11; Bachelor's Bevel, 5, 10-10; Rushyford, 5, 10-10; Sword Dance, 4, 10-9; Commander Smith, 3, 10-7; Voxol, 3, 10-7; His Nibs, 3, 10-7; Pennant, 6, 10-3; Longerline, 3, 10-2; Gypsy King, 3, 10-2; Honey of Roses, 3, 10-2; Hazelbrook, 3, 10-2; Limpsfield, 3, 10-2; Miss Spinnaker, 3, 10-2.

1.50—**CONSOLATION STAKE** of 300 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Fionna-Lass	9	7	Lucky Strike	8	6
Gem	8	9	Buff Mall	8	6
Rainbow Division	8	9	Child of the Hills	8	6
Dangaroo	8	9	Rosiere	8	6
Aunt Kate colt	8	9	Roza	8	6
Vesington Chief	8	9	Elsie R.	8	6
St. Cole	8	9	False Report	8	3
Wild Wheat	8	6	Silver Morsel	8	2
Hidden Treasure	8	6	Creaghlone	7	13
Palchra	8	6	Norma Stoker	7	13
La Reserve	8	6	A.B.C.	7	13
Lady Daffodil filly	8	6	Brandon	7	10
Ionian Ferry	8	6	Second String filly	7	10
Balmy	8	6	Little Celi	n.q.	

2.30—**CURRAGH CESAREWITCH** of 500 sovs. A handicap. 1 m. 6 f.

(FOR PROBABLE RUNNERS AND JOCKEYS, SEE SELECTIONS.)

3.0—**ATHGARVAN PLATE** of 100 sovs. For two years old. 1 m.

Christmas Holiday, 9-10; Oil Silk, 9-0; Flummery, 9-0; Charles Peace, 9-0; William Allenby, 9-0; Brank, 9-4; Hanway, 9-0; Lloyds, 9-0; Bermaline, 9-0; Argent, 9-0; Dunluce Castle, 9-0; Kirma filly, 8-11; Lady Brendan filly, 8-11; Forty-three, 8-11; Quite Dark, 8-11; Fionbar, 8-11; Miss McCann, 8-11; Royal Flight, 8-11; Lullaby, 8-11; Vixen's Pet filly, 8-11; Lady Maire, 8-11; Moore's Melody, 8-11; Elyra, 8-11; Arthur O'Leary, 8-11; Fasbinder, 8-11.

3.30—**AUTUMN STAKE** of 500 sovs. A handicap for two years old. 5 f. (Weights raised 2lb. in accordance with Rule 52.)

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Malvis colt (in. 14lb. ex.)	9	10	Interrogation	8	6
Frank Webber	9	0	Ard Erin	8	2
Little Celi (10lb. ex.)	9	0	Acushla	8	2
Waterford Glass (10lb. ex.)	9	0	Charles the Fifth	7	12
Cahir	8	12	Damaged Goods	7	12
Seabloom	8	11	Little Orby	7	12
Kilrea	8	8	Duff	7	8
Sweet Acre	8	8	Eothen	7	8
			Iorama	7	8
			Mella	7	7

4.0—**BERESFORD STAKES**, a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each for acceptors, with 200 sovs. added. For two years old. 1 m.

San Rafael, 9-4; Corn Sack, 8-12; Brank, 8-12; Daylight Saver, 8-12; Gem, 8-8; Desert Trail, 8-8; Bloody Wars, 8-7; Dame of Bath, 8-7; Gay Lord, 8-7; Icemore, 8-7; Young Brian, 8-7; Treble Scotch, 8-7; Bachelor's Heather, 8-7; Dangaroo, 8-7; Chevington, 8-7; Juvenile, 8-5; Kilkerley, 8-5; Belluna, 8-5; Savoir Faire, 8-4; Balmy, 8-4; Ardavon, 8-4; Vesington Chief, 8-4; Loch Lomond, 8-4; Arthur O'Leary, 8-4; Caltrop, 8-4; Earn's Glen, 8-4; Flummery, 8-4; Dinah Dear, 8-3; Norman Stoker, 8-3; Mella, 8-3; Horrible, 8-0; Elyra, 8-0; Waterford Glass, 8-0; La Tango, 8-0; Shanogue, 8-0.

4.30—**HIS EXCELLENCY THE LORD LIEUTENANT'S PLATE** of 100 gns. 1½ m.

Lovely Morning, 5, 9-0; Wildwood, 4, 9-0; Kingston Black, 4, 9-0; Light Division, 6, 9-0; Lukeston, 5, 8-11; Mintoi, 4, 8-11; Matoppo, 4, 8-11; Pastures New, a, 8-11; Wildfellow, 3, 8-8; Timler, 3, 8-5; Main Royal, 3, 8-5; Z.Z., 3, 8-5; First Wheat, 3, 8-2; Sister Barry, 3, 8-2; Sari Bahr, 3, 8-2; Brownstown Belle, 3, 8-2; Zephyros, 2, 6-4; First Float, 2, 6-1.

LONDON BETTING.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.—Run Wednesday, October 30th.—11 to 2 Rivershore; 10 to 1 Hainault; 10 to 1 Not Much; 100 to 9 Zinovia; 100 to 9 Earna; 100 to 6 Roideur; 100 to 6 Herself; 18 to 1 The Vizier; 20 to 1 Irish Elegance; 20 to 1 Sir Desmond; 25 to 1 Sandmole (all taken and offered).

LATEST.—10 to 1 Zinovia (t. and o.).

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Newmarket Houghton Meeting.—New Nursery—Sentry. Rutland Handicap—Watergruel and Silver Bullet. Durham Stakes—Silver Bullet. All-Aged Selling Stakes—Erl King. Dewhurst Plate—Auramine, Ayr Square, and African Star. Richmond Nursery (Div. 2)—Summer's Joy. All engagements this year—Lady Sibel and Lady Farmer. All engagements—Niotsi.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Frank Brooke, who has been appointed a member of the Privy Council in Ireland, is one of the Stewards of the Turf Club.

The successful sire, Fariman, who has been located at the Heath Stud, Maryborough, for so many years, will next season stand at the Meddler Stud, Newmarket.

Grand Parade, who won the National Produce Stakes at the Curragh yesterday, leaves to-day for Newmarket, where he holds an engagement in the Moulton Stakes next week.

S. Jeffery, the Maryborough trainer, brought off a double event yesterday with Crushed Glass and Waterford Glass, both of which were bred by, and belong to Lady McCalmont. Both winners were ridden by M. Wing.

Mrs. R. Leeper acknowledges with thanks £15 9s. 0d. collected at Curragh trains for Soldiers' Buffets.—(Advt.)

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COURSING.

Mooncoin and Carrigeen Meeting—Yesterday.

Judge—Mr. Davin. Slipper—P. M'Sweeney.

MOONCOIN STAKE—For 8 dog puppies. Winner, £8; second, £4.

Strand Boy beat Dublin Swell; Ossion Fire beat Glen Laird; Clonmore Boy beat Golden Pearl; Marble Swank beat Barrator II.

SECOND ROUND.—Ossion Fire beat Strand Boy; Marble Swank beat Clonmore Boy.

Stakes divided.

CARRIGEEN STAKE—For 8 bitch puppies. Winner, £8; second, £4.

Gambling Widow beat Seabloom; Carrigeen Charmer beat Gay Damsel; Melba beat Ballineur Girl; Lady Fortune beat Water Wheel III.

SECOND ROUND.—Gambling Widow beat Carrigeen Charmer; Lady Fortune beat Melba.

Stakes divided.

SILVERSPRING STAKES—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £30; second, £12; two dogs, £3 each.

March Past II. beat Fly Ore; Good Health beat Mooncoin Bendigo; Lady Charming beat Special Quality; Quasimodo beat Malaria; Crom Aboo beat Barrier III.; Lovely Morning beat Castletown Boy; Hyades beat Fly Boy; Wild Rapparee IV. beat Winning Wizard.

SECOND ROUND.—Good Health beat March Past II.; Lady Charming beat Quasimodo; Lovely Morning beat Crom Aboo; Wild Rapparee IV. beat Hyades.

THIRD ROUND.—Lady Charming beat Good Health; Lovely Morning beat Wild Rapparee IV.

DECIDING COURSE.—Lady Charming beat Lovely Morning.

HILL STAKE—For 25 all-ages. Winner, £18; second, £8 10/-; four dogs, £2 10/- each; two dogs, £1 10/- each.

Ballinamona beat More Blarney; Dark Ocean beat Guiding Arm; New Time VI. beat Howart; Hailstorm IV. beat Connemara; Red Wing VIII. beat Wait On; Denoch a bye. Blockade absent; Steeple Joe beat Mullinahone Swank; Rumour beat Slievenamon; Peter's Pet beat Ossion Queen; Wilful Warrior beat Tasty Man; New Time IV. beat Knock Out II.; Free Gift X. beat Mooncoin Bugler; Come Back, a bye.

SECOND ROUND.—Dark Ocean beat Ballinamona; New Time VI. beat Hailstorm IV.; Denoch beat Red Wing VIII.; Steeple Joe beat Rumour; Wilful Warrior beat Peter's Pet; Come Back beat New Time IV.; Free Gift X., a bye.

THIRD ROUND.—Dark Ocean beat New Time VI.; Steeple Joe beat Denoch; Come Back beat Free Gift X.; Wilful Warrior, a bye.

FOURTH ROUND.—Dark Ocean beat Steeple Joe; Come Back beat Wilful Warrior.

DECIDING COURSE.—Dark Ocean beat Come Back.

Arranged for two days, the Mooncoin fixture was completed yesterday, the entries falling far short of the numbers stipulated for. The high quality of the trials, however, made amends for the disappointment, and this new Kilkenny meeting is certain to rank among the best in the country. Lady Charming finished her running career by a brilliant victory in the Silverspring Stake, and in winning the valuable challenge cup accomplished one of her best performances. In fact, she was scarcely challenged, and her defeat of Lovely Morning was one-sided. Both Puppy Stakes were divided, and in sharing the honours in the Carrigeen Stake Lady Fortune made some amends for her Massereene Park defeat.

BILLIARDS.—Falkiner v. Stevenson.—Closing scores:—Falkiner, 14,000; Stevenson, 11,665.

Fashionable Intelligence

The Earl of Radnor has arrived in London from Scotland.

Lady Irene Tufton has arrived in London from Appleby Castle.

Sir Charles and Lady Walston have arrived in London.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Henry and Lady Mary Trefusis have arrived in London for the winter.

Sir Frank Lascelles and the Dowager Countess of Leicester were among those who attended the Service held in Eton College Chapel last Saturday, to unveil the memorial to Sir Cecil Spring-Rice.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Hutcheson Poë, who has been on leave for the last six weeks, has left Ireland for France, to resume his duties with the French Red Cross.

A large and exclusive selection of Fur-backed Gloves, including Racoon, Beaver, Nutria, Jap Hare, Musquash, Squirrel, etc., is now being shown at Switzer's, Grafton street.

Blouse Section—Just received, Exquisite Blouse wear for Dinner and Afternoon; also some lovely Black Models.—At Holmes', George's street.

Charming Hats in Manchon, Velour, and Duveton finish. Exquisite shades, Dove, Jade, Brique, Sand, Cherry, Reds, Copper, Rust, Ivory, and Black; also in close-fitting pull-on shapes, flexible, soft, and light, most becoming, 12s. 9d. Special value.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Cosy Slip-on Coats, Cosy Woollies for Breakfast or House Wear, lovely colourings, 6s. 11d., 8s. 11d., 10s. 9d., 12s. 9d., 15s. 9d., at Holmes', George's street.

Ladies' Grey Suede Court Shoes, Louis heels, all sizes.—Bradley's Boot Shop, Nassau street.

R.A.F. officers agree that the new uniform is of smart colour, but that it will easily show spots. Dartry Dye Works, Dartry Road, Dublin, will soon solve the spot problem for you.

Dainty Smocked Velvet Coat, for little girl, in Grey, Brown, Navy, etc., 2 guineas, at Slyne's, 71 Grafton street.

Dainty Ivory Crepe de Chine Blouse, with long roll collar, for 45s. 11d., at Slyne and Co.'s, 71 Grafton street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers.—Lady Boyd, Sir John Arnott, Lieutenant-Colonel Owen Lewis, Lieutenant A. Dudgeon, Lieutenant D. Hinman, Lieutenant E. T. Molneaux, Rev. Henry E. Baker, Captain T. Rossiter Myler, Major Crean, Lieutenant W. G. M'Cormack, Sub-Lieutenant M'Knight, John Joyce, H. G. Barrington, Allan M'Nair, T. A. Golden, Mrs. B. H. Wyatt, Mrs. R. Hathers, Miss J. G. M'Clulock, Miss M. B. Oldfield.

McBirney and Co.'s Establishment will close in future at 5.30 p.m. each evening (except Saturday, when they will close as heretofore, at 1 o'clock p.m.).

Jane Mason, 27 Dawson street—Children's Velveteen Frocks from 28s.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention.—Davis (late of Ogilvy's), Mourning Warehouse, 45 Grafton street.

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BOVRIL

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY.

Stocks opened strong on professional buying; then weakened under fears of further money restrictions, which started heavy selling, but rallied later on reports that the money restrictions will be relaxed. The closing was irregular. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds easy. Money on call strong at 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady and unchanged to 5 points up. Silver commercial bars unchanged.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY.

WHEAT—Spot nominal. CORN—Spot nominal. COFFEE—Spot steady and unchanged.

COTTON declined on foreign, Wall street, and Southern houses selling; but advanced on trade buying, and again declined on hedging, New Orleans houses selling, and bear pressure, and closed barely steady. Spot quiet, 45 points up. Receipts—Atlantic, 8,000; Gulf, 20,000. Exports—Britain, 8,000; Continent, 15,000. November, 29.43; January, 28.62.

COTTON OIL dull and nominal.

PETROLEUM—Refined steady. TALLOW firm, ¼ up. LARD—Cash market weak, 60 points lower. FLOUR dull. SUGAR steady. TIN and IRON nominal. COPPER dull.

CHICAGO, WEDNESDAY.

WHEAT on spot inanimate. No. 2 red winter, spot, nominal; No. 2 hard winter, spot, nominal.

CORN opened firm at 2¼c. to 2c. improvement, and went higher on light local and country offerings, smaller interior movement, the stronger cash position on a better inquiry, the bullish war outlook, commission house buying, and bull support. There was also active covering of shorts, and the market closed strong, 3½c. to 4c. higher. October, 135; November, 127¾; December, 124.

OATS firm, 1¼c. to 1½c. up. October, unquoted; November, 69⅛; December, 69¼.

PROVISIONS opened dull, and declined on lower hog heavy receipts, a disappointing cash inquiry, scarcity of buyers, and stop-loss selling. Then covering checked the slump, the market, however, closing barely steady, with lard 50 to 32½, pork 50, and ribs 42½ to 17½ points down. Lard—October, 25.27½; November, 24.20; January, 23.10. Pork—October, 35.00; November, 35.00; January, 37.70. Ribs—October, 21.07½; November, 21.07½; January, 20.32½.

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Previous day	22.00	23.00	16.50	17.70	14.75	16.50

COSMO BAZAAR AT THE MANSION HOUSE.

It would, perhaps, be tedious to mention in print the numerous attractions of the Cosmo Bazaar at the Mansion House, but the visitor will find them, all and everyone, interesting to a degree, and capable of rendering the rooms an agreeable place in which to while away a few idle hours, while at the same time serving a deserving work of charity. The Round Room yesterday was a veritable bower of beauty, an animated scene, where business and pleasure were charmingly intermingled. The Supper Room has been tricked out in gay colours and converted into a cosy dancing saloon, and this is where the enjoyment is at its height in the evenings. The tea gardens, where a string orchestra played during the afternoon, were liberally patronised. There were whist drives and other games. A variety concert was well patronised. Amongst the artists who appeared last evening were:—Miss Kitty Fagan, Miss Mamie Dingle, Miss Gertie Byrne, Miss Eileen Hayden, Miss Annie Weiner, Mr. T. J. Young, Mr. P. Delany, and Mr. J. Mulcahy. In the cinema hall interesting pictures were screened. The bazaar will be continued to-day, to-morrow, and Saturday, and on Saturday night there will be a special late session.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

Police Raid on Printing Establishment.—A police raid, under the direction of Inspector Love, was made yesterday on the premises of the Gaelic Press, Liffey street, Dublin. Permission to enter was refused by Mr. Stanley, and the police eventually took forcible possession, and removed parts of the machinery.

Dublin Citizens' Association.—Mr. Sydney Orr (Chairman) presided at this week's meeting of the Dublin Citizens' Association (Incorporated). The Executive Committee was strongly of opinion that there was a real danger lest the ratepayers should lose the economic advantages to be reasonably expected from the amalgamation of the Unions. The following resolution was passed, and the Secretary directed to forward a copy to each of the 132 Guardians at present constituting the Board of the Dublin Union, which is at present too unwieldy to carry any business through properly:—"That in view of the enormous demands for the upkeep of the Poor Law Union in the Dublin district, we, on behalf of the ratepayers, urgently appeal to you as a Guardian of the Poor and trustee for the ratepayers to spare no effort in effecting economies in the administration of the Union, and to avoid supporting any general increase in the salaries of the already well-paid Union officials."

LONDON DIVORCE SUIT.

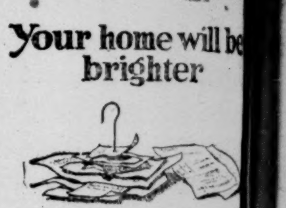
KILKENNY GIRL'S ROMANTIC CAREER.

In the Divorce Court, London, yesterday, Justice Horridge heard a petition of Captain Geoffrey Willoughby Atkins for divorce from his wife, described as Baroness Miska Staminoff, whose maiden name was Lilian Hull, daughter of a Kilkenny soldier. Petitioner alleged misconduct against the Baroness. The wife made no answer to the petition; but the co-respondent, a man named Mark Becker, put in, said Mr. Murphy, who represented petitioner, a plea of not guilty, and added that he was unaware that the respondent was married.

Mr. Murphy said the marriage took place in England in July, 1915, when petitioner was serving in the Army. His wife, Baroness Miska Staminoff, was really the daughter of a soldier, who was born in Kilkenny, and who had rejoined the Army since the war broke out. She was brought up as a dressmaker. When 18 she ran away, and took to the stage. She had afterwards gone abroad, and was in Belgium, Germany, Russia, and other places. She came to London, and appeared in a revue under the name of Brendel. She was then heard of as Baroness Staminoff, and in the early part of 1915 made the acquaintance of the petitioner, who seemed to have been infatuated with her. On July 3, on the eve of the petitioner's departure for Mesopotamia, the wedding took place. He was wounded and on coming home in September took her to his people. She pretended to be a lady of the most aristocratic Russian lineage. In consequence of information his sister sent him, inquiries were made, resulting in the discovery that a Mr. Mark Becker was apparently staying with the Baroness at the flat in March, April, and May, 1916, when the divorce petition was filed. There was a difficulty in finding the Baroness. She had given up the name Mrs. Atkins, and resumed the name of Baroness Staminoff, and was flitting about fashionable hotels in London. She disappeared about the same time as the co-respondent was called up for military duties. She was next heard of on her way to India, where she was followed and served with the papers in the case.

Evidence was given that Becker had stayed with respondent in a flat in London. The co-respondent admitted misconduct, but stated that he believed the respondent was unmarried.

A decree *nisi*, with costs, was granted.



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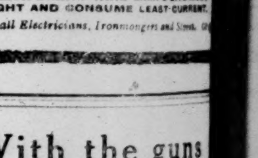

With the guns
Although to-day such an expression brings to mind vastly different scenes, there is reason to rejoice, yet it requires little optimism to look ahead to the time when the war cloud will cease to overhang this country and when not only will lovers of sport come into their own again but also the supreme
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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

Flag Day at Belmullet.—Over £34 was realised as the result of the "Flag Day" held in Belmullet recently.

Reduced Price for Bonhams.—At Carrick... yesterday there was an unusually large supply of bonhams for sale, and prices showed a drop from £5 to £3 each.

Limerick Bakers' Strike.—Limerick bakers ... strike for increased wages ... arrange for the establishment of a city ... bakery. A notice has been issued ...

Petrol for a Pilgrimage.—The Athlone ... trates dismissed a summons under the ... Spirit Regulations against Mr. Poole, who ... his car to a party going to Connacht ... at the grave of St. Ciaran.

Preservation of Ancient Monuments.—... persons interested in the preservation of the ... caves and monuments of Rathcroghan, the ... of Colonel Chichester-Constable, which are ... sent offered for sale, communicated with Mr. J. ... Hayden, M.P., and asked him to bring the ... under the notice of the Board of Works ... their reply, the Board of Works said that they ... no power to interfere before a sale, and ... could only act under the Ancient Monuments ... tection Act by consenting, at the request of ... owner, to become guardians of the monuments ... they were of opinion that their preservation ... a matter of public interest by reason of ... historical, traditional, or artistic connections.

HUNTING FIXTURES.

THE MEATH HOUNDS.—November, 1918: Tuesday, 5th, Dowestown; Friday, 8th, ...; Tuesday, 12th, Mountainstown; Friday, 15th, ...moon Police Barracks; Saturday, 16th, ...; (by-day); Tuesday, 19th, Trim; Friday, 22nd, ...boyne; Saturday, 23rd, Carlanstown (by-day) ... 11 o'clock.

THE ANGLO-SOUTH AMERICAN BANK, LIMITED.

AMALGAMATION POLICY.

PROSPERITY OF THE FOREIGN FIELD.

The thirtieth annual general meeting of shareholders in the Anglo-South American Bank, Ltd., was held yesterday at Winchester House, Old Broad street, London, E.C., Sir Robert Harvey (Chairman of the Bank) presiding.

The notice convening the meeting having been read,

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, said they met that day in circumstances which offered the prospect of happier times in the near future, and he thought they might anticipate that before they met again they would be once more working under peace conditions. (Hear, hear.) Many important developments had occurred recently in the banking world, involving amalgamations amongst leading English banks, and in some cases the transfer of the control of British banks trading abroad into the hands of the clearing banks. Though it would be beyond his province to discuss the wisdom of creating these gigantic institutions, he desired to direct attention to a statement of policy on the part of the chairman of one of the foremost of those banks, who informed his shareholders that he considered it to be an incorrect policy for themselves and similar banks to establish branches in foreign countries, and that he preferred to enter into working arrangements with banks trading outside Great Britain. That was a policy which the Board could not but think was a correct one. They had, indeed, acted as pioneers in that direction when in March last they made a mutual working agreement with Messrs. Williams Deacon's Bank, Ltd., of Manchester, whereby the company's own representatives were located in the head office of that bank in Manchester, thereby placing the merchants and shippers of that locality in direct touch with themselves, so that the many advantages of direct personal communication were obtained by all parties. Simultaneously their Manchester friends made a similar arrangement with the London and Brazilian Bank in respect of business with Brazil. The arrangement in Manchester had already succeeded beyond their expectations, and it was quite possible that they might enter into further working agreements of a similar nature. A further stage had been taken by the Board in the direction of an extension of their sphere of activity in the purchase of the bulk of the shares in the Commercial Bank of Spanish America, Ltd., which had branches in Colombia, Venezuela, Ecuador, Nicaragua, and San Salvador. Their total investment in that company represented 238,021 shares out of a total of 261,417, so that this bank held over 90 per cent. of the capital.

ARGENTINA.

Referring to Argentina, he said that the plethora of money to which he referred last year had increased, and the deposits in the banks amounted on 30th June last to $2,550,000,000, as compared with $1,800,000,000 in 1917, and $1,500,000,000 in 1916, and $1,200,000,000 in 1914. The advances granted by the banks had, however, increased only during the last year from $1,367,000,000 to $1,601,000,000, so that the surplus cash held had largely increased and the local rate of interest been reduced. The produce of the country had been purchased very largely by the Governments of the Allied Powers, including the United States of America, which had taken the bulk of the wool, and the company's New York office had been able to participate to a very considerable extent in the finance of the latter operation, receiving very valuable assistance from a representative who had been established for that purpose in Boston. The prospects of the coming crops and the present outlook were referred to in a cable just received from the company's Buenos Ayres manager, which read:—"Pastoral and cereal situation are in good shape, recent general and copious rain having benefited camps all over. Wool market is expectant, but the general opinion is that prices will be maintained. Labour situation has improved, and appears well in hand. Money is in greater demand. Share market in general is good, but there has been a heavy fall in speculative securities. Industrials are steady."

CHILE.

The financial year—July, 1917, to June, 1918—had been for Chile one of the most prosperous in recent times, although towards the end of the period certain factors had arisen which militated against a continuance of that state of things in certain industries. Taken generally, the prosperity was due to the continued demand for Chile's chief exports—namely, nitrate, copper, wool, meat in various forms, and cereals, the prices for which had been well maintained, and the production good. Shipping difficulties had, however, retarded the export of a part of these products, more especially cereals, although gradually these were finding their way to foreign markets. During the period covered by this review the Chilian exchange on London had continued its upward course. Since June it had fallen rapidly, having been as low as 13½d., while to-day it was 13⅝d. This fall was to be attributed to apprehensions that, when peace conditions prevailed, the prosperity of the nitrate industry, and, in a lesser degree, the other industries of the country, might show a severe falling off owing to the cessation of demand for nitrate and copper for the purpose of the manufacture of munitions of war. It was interesting to note that before the war Germany imported 60 per cent. of the production of Chilian nitrate, and the point arose as to what quantities that country would be in a position to secure under the conditions which might be expected to prevail for a considerable period after the war. In preparation for a possible shrinkage of income from export duties, the present Government would appear to be making a careful study of sources of revenue, and it has already been hinted that further extensions of direct taxation were in view.

BOLIVIA.

Referring to Bolivia, he said that Senor Jose Gutierrez Guerra, who assumed the Presidency last year, was carrying out the high expectations that had been formed of his term of office, and the country continued to benefit by the advantage it derived from war conditions. Although the price of tin had gradually receded from the top price reached—namely, £339—it still stood at the high figure of £335, as compared with £247 a year ago, the whole output being practically used by the Allied Governments.

The Banco de la Nacion Boliviana, in which this company was interested, had made further progress during the year, and was able to pay an increased dividend for 1917. In Peru the tide of prosperity continued to rise, and the volume of foreign trade for 1917 exceeded £P32,000,000, being an increase of nearly £P7,000,000 over that of 1916, and the exports during that period surpassed the imports by £P25,000,000. These figures spoke for themselves. The Banco del Peru y Londres, in which the Anglo-South American Bank was also interested, had strengthened and consolidated its position by the aid of the various factors existing in that country. Referring to Uruguay, he said that the commercial and financial conditions in that country had been very satisfactory during the period under review. Beneficial rains were reported to have restored the condition of camps from the somewhat serious conditions caused by the drought of the last two summers.

SPAIN.

The Board had every reason to be satisfied with the work of their recently established branches in Spain—at Barcelona, Bilbao, and Madrid—the progress of which had exceeded their expectations. The directors had decided to extend their ramifications in that country by opening offices in Vigo and Seville. Spain formed a very important connecting link between South American trade and Great Britain, and the company's branches in that country had enabled the bank greatly to facilitate the business of its clients at home as well as in the South American Continent.

THE BALANCE SHEET.

Dealing with the figures in the balance sheet, the Chairman said that the growth of their business, already large last year had been even greater in the period under review. Their current and deposit accounts had risen from £14,114,982 to £27,279,473, the bills payable from £5,981,166 to £9,056,797. The cash had grown from £5,037,453 to £9,612,747, and the investments, after allowing for investments reserve, from £2,200,333 to £3,111,622. Their bills receivable stood in 1917 at £9,309,600, and now at £14,927,937, while the advances had grown from £9,509,852 to £12,856,000. Those figures demonstrated among other things that they had considered it wise to retain a very large proportion of the additional money entrusted to their care in the most liquid form possible, and they had readily available assets in cash and bills representing about 70 per cent. of their total liabilities to the public. There were two reasons for that policy. Firstly, it was at present easy to utilise with safety in ordinary banking business such a large percentage of increased funds, and secondly they regarded the increased deposits as not unlikely to be in a very large measure withdrawn at the conclusion of the war for utilisation in trade. Their profits, whilst they had increased in a satisfactory manner, the net profit being £481,000 as compared with £320,000 had not improved in quite the same proportion as their total balance sheet figures. That was due to the fact, as already stated that it had been deemed necessary and wise to keep a large proportion in readily available assets, and that class of asset produced a comparatively low rate of interest. The item of charges in the profit and loss account had gone up from £320,000 to £400,000, but he felt that, provided they were able to maintain their net profits at the present level or thereabouts, the shareholders would not be disposed to be hypercritical regarding expenses. As to the appropriation of the profits they proposed a final dividend of 7s. 6d. per share, less income tax, to transfer £100,000 to reserve fund, to make the usual appropriation to the staff pension fund and for payment of a bonus, and to write off £50,000 for bank premises account. They would then have £188,000 to carry forward as against £155,000 brought in. The total dividend was at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum, as compared with 10 per cent. last year, and they were distributing even at the higher rate their earning on an extremely conservative basis. Although they might possibly in future have to face a somewhat reduced earning capacity they had every hope of being able to maintain the dividend at the present level, and at the same time to continue to make reasonable additions to the reserve.

Mr. Thomas Woodsend seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously, and, in acknowledging a vote of thanks, the Chairman intimated that owing to advancing years he contemplated resigning his position as chairman of the bank.

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

The Dublin Stock and Share Markets remain interesting in price movements, and over three dozen transactions were recorded. The Funds were occasionally easier. Banks were very firm. Marked briskness characterised dealings in Breweries and Distilleries. Dublin Distillers' Ord., after a flat opening, partly recovered later. Guinness were lower, but left off firm. The outstanding feature yesterday was the sharp recovery in Marconi shares, in which American shares joined. Rails were quiet, with "Mullingar" Stock offered. Parent Tyre Deferred opened at a reaction of 1s. 6d. to 63s. 6d., but later were 63s. 9d. bid, with Birmingham buying orders. Large dealing took place in Coats' Ord. at Tuesday's price.

BANK OF IRELAND.

Discount .... 5 per cent., 5th April, 1917.
Deposit .... 2½ per cent., 5th April, 1917.

BUSINESS DONE:—

Consols ....(60½)	60	Marconi ....(88/3)	91/-
4½% War Loan (100¾)	100¾	Do. Marine	68/6
5% do.......(96½)	96⅛-⅝	Do. America..	32/6 32/9
Do. Bonds	*95¾	G.N. Rail.......(91¼)	91
5% War Bonds (2nd Series)	99½	M.G.W. Ord...(33½)	*32½
4% do. (1927).......	100½	Do. 4% Deb.......(74)	74
4% War Loan.(101¼)	101	Dublin Trams..(8⅛)	*8⅛
2¾% Land Act..(61)	*61	Do. Pref.......(10½)	10¼
3% do.........(65)	65	Parent Def.(65/-)	63/6 /9
Bk. Ireland..(214½)	214½	Brad. Dy.....(39/6)	39/6
Hibernian Bk..(5⅛)	5⅛	Coats ....(7¾)	7¾
National Bk..(19½)	19¾	French Dunlops (20/1½)	20/3
Castlebellingham..(7½)	7½	Sew. Cot....(67/4½)	67/3
Do. Pref......(6½)	6¼	Fine Spin....(40/1½)	40/3
Dub. Dist. Ord. (50/-)	45/- 46/- 47/-	Goulding ....(8¼)	8⅛
Do. Pref.....(5¼)	5⅛b 5½a	Vickers ......(43/6)	*43/-
Guinness....(35½)	35-35¼	Vulcanite........(28/-)	27/6b
Do. Pref.......(12)	12	White Tomkins (29/3)	29/3
Jameson Deb.......(7)	7	Burke Pref.....(89/-)	88/-
City Dub. Steam Pref. (82)	82	Dockrell ....(10/-)	10/-
Dundalk Steam...(8½)	8½	Hibernian Fire	*5/3
		Imp. Tob. Canada...	23/3
		Mex. Oil Ord.........	*79/-

*Odd lot.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5th, 1917) ...... 5 p.c.

The tightness in the Loan market was very noticeable yesterday. Call money was rather urgently wanted at 3 to 3½ p.c., and weekly loans at 3½ p.c. The Bank of England was called upon to lend a moderate sum, which was advanced for three to four days at the special quotation of 4 p.c. There was nothing fresh in the Discount market, which was quietly firm, in sympathy with loan conditions. November and December Treasury bills changed hands around 3½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 5 1917	5%		
60 days (fine)	3⅛%	Trade.... 4	%
3 months ,, ...	3⅛%	,, ...4	4¼%
4 months ,, ...	3⅛%	,, ...4¼	%
6 months ,, ...	3⅛%	,, ...3	3¼%
Loans to bill brokers day to day	3		%
do. do. for a week	3¼		%
Deposit allowance: Banks at notice	3		%
do. Discount houses at call and notice....	3		%

Spot silver was unchanged at 49⅛d. per ounce.

The following foreign exchange rates were current:—Paris cables, 26.06½ to 26.08; New York, 4.76½ to 4.76⅞; Amsterdam, 11.16 to 11.24; Italy, 30.25 to 30.37½; Madrid, 22.62 to 22.75; Christiania, 17.11 to 17.21; Stockholm, 16.18 to 16.25; Berne, 23.45 to 23.52.

LONDON STOCKS BRIGHTER

The Stock Exchange enjoyed a brighter appearance, but while there were signs of a moderate increase of activity, the latter was at no time pronounced. Quotations often worked forward, and the dulling effects of the German Note appeared to have largely worn off. The betterment in sentiment was progressive, the close being at about the best. Gilt-edged issues did not share the improved tendency. Among Miscellaneous Gilt-edged issues the tendency, on the whole, was firmer than among the leaders of the group. Irish Land Loans were dullish, but Indian Government issues, Exchequer Sixes, and Colonial short-term Loans were supported moderately, and the supply of stock did not appear to have increased.

Changes:—Falls—Consols, ⅛ to 59⅞; 3½ p.c. War Loan, ⅛ to 88⅛; 5 p.c. do., 1/16 to 95⅞.

FRENCH FIVES RECOVER.—Among Foreigners, French Fives recovered ⅛ to 85⅛, and the Fours were firmer. Japanese issues ruled steady, and Chinese Bonds benefited from the success of the new issue, which has been over-subscribed. Russian Fives closed unaltered, after being lower. Greeks were harder in tone, and Egyptians came in for some renewed support. South Americans were inclined to instability. Peruvian Pref. fell to 31, and the Debs. to 91½. Brazilians held firm, and Mexican Loans were supported.

Changes:—Rise—French Loan, ⅛ to 85⅛. Falls—Peruvian Pref., ⅛ to 31; do. Debs., ⅛ to 91½; Russian Fours, 1 to 47.

RAILS IMPROVE.—In the Home Railway market the tone showed some improvement upon Tuesday. There were one or two gains of ⅛ to ½ in the Trunk and Trade section. Undergrounds marked time, and Scotch Stocks, though steady, registered little variation on the session.

Grand Trunks appear to have got out of their groove of idleness, and the overnight rise made further headway. The 1st Pref., at 61, was a point better, and there were several other gains of ⅛ to ½. Canadian Pacifics were steady around 180½. Mexican Rails encountered light realising, and the Prefs. weakened ½ to 1. Argentine Rails were little affected by the declaration of the Buenos Ayres Western and Southern dividends. Leopoldinas fell ½ to 42½.

Changes:—Rises—Caledonian Def., ⅛ to 11⅞; London and North-Western, ⅛ to 95⅛; London and South-Western Def., ⅛ to 29⅞; South-Eastern Def., ⅛ to 41⅞; Mexican National 1st Pref., ⅛ to 23⅞; Grand Trunk, ⅛ to 12⅞; do. Guar., ⅛ to 56; do. 1st Pref., 1 to 61; do. 3rd Pref., ⅛ to 26⅞; Argentine Great Western, ⅛ to 69⅞; Central Uruguay, 1⅛ to 71; San Paulo, ⅛ to 201. Falls—Brighton A, ½ to 64⅛; Armavir Touapse Bonds, 1 to 47; Mexican 1st Pref., ½ to 71½; do. 2nd Pref., 1 to 45.

INDUSTRIALS CHEERFUL.—The Miscellaneous and Industrial market was spottily cheerful and a little more vigorous. The recovery in all Marconi issues continued. In the Land group, Pekin Syndicates gained 1/16 to 1¼. Nigers added the same fraction at 2⅛. Allsopp Pref. reacted a point among Breweries to 65⅛, but there was big dealing in Seager Evans, which rocketted 10/- to 95/-. Associated Cements were active, and gained 1/16 at 6⅛. British Portlands were 1/16 better. Armaments were dullish, and Cammell Lairds lost ⅛ at 6⅞. National Explosives, at 30/6, were rather better. Vickers fell 1/- to 47/-. There was a further rally of ⅛ to 1⅛ in Salt Unions. Brazilian Tractions lost a point at 57. Aerateds were strong around 62/6. Apollinaris and Johannis were up to 3⅛, and Bryant and May spurted to 2⅛ on the proposed dividend and bonus. Banks were steady.

Changes:—Rises—Marconi, ⅛ to 4⅞; do. Pref., ⅛ to 5⅞; do. Marine, 2/6 to 67/6; do. Canada, 6d. to 14/6; do. America, 1/6 to 32/6; do. Spanish, 6d. to 14/6; Associated Cement, 1/16 to 6⅛; British Portland Cement, 1/16 to 1⅛; Pahangs, 6d. to 15/-; Salt Union, 1/16 to 1⅛; Nigers, 1/16 to 2⅛; Pekin Syndicate, 1/16 to 1¼. Falls—Cammell Laird, ⅛ to 6⅞; National Explosives, 2/- to 27/6; Vickers, 1/- to 47/-; Allsopp Pref., 1 to 65⅛; Brazilian Tractions, 1 to 57.

OIL SHARES FIRM.—Oils ruled quietly firm. Shells held their overnight improvement. Lobitos advanced 1/-. Burmahs were firm, but Gyppy B eased a trifle, and several Russian shares eased 1/16 to ⅛.

Changes:—Anglo-Egypt B, 56/4½-4½d.; Burmah, 6⅝+1/16; Kern River, 14/4½-4½d.; Lobitos, 55/9+1/-; Mexican Eagle, 79/6-3d.; do. Pref., 80/4½+4½d.; North Caucasian, 25/-1/4½; Rum. Consol., 16/7½+4½d.; Shell, 117/6+1½; Spies, 12/9-9d.; Trinidad, 11/7½+1½d.; Ural Caspian, 29/3-2/-.

MINING MARKET BETTER.—There was a harder tone among Mines. Business was moderate. Kaffirs continued spotty. Cape advices were cautious, but cheerful, support from that quarter still centring upon Land and Diamond Shares. Jagers were supported among Diamonds, but closed under best at 4⅛. Vaal River Diamonds hardened over 1⅛, and the Founders' Shares were up to 105. Rhodesians were realising. Tanks were down to 5 at one time, but recovered most of their fall. There was a sagging tendency among Russians, and Tin things remained colourless.

RUBBER SHARES IRREGULAR.—The share market was somewhat irregular. There was a weak tendency during the forenoon, but things got better as the day wore on, and at the finish the tone was good to firm. Anglo-Dutch were practically unaltered, but Anglo-Malay were lower at 14/-. Rubber Trust were better, with buyers at 28/4½. Langkat Sumatra were strong, with a rise to 50/6, and Golden Hope also at 67/6. Golconda were done at 66/3. Jong Landor at 68/6, Malayalam between 40/- and 41/3, Pilmoor at 54/3, and Temiang at 40/-, were all good spots. Amongst the Borneo section a good deal of activity was in progress. Langkon changed hands at 23/-. Lok Kawi showed numerous transactions up to 26/-, and Sekong came at 22/-.

CLOSING PRICES.

MINING SHARES.

Arizona	2¼-1/16	Oceana Consd......	6/-3d
Bk. Hill North....	3⅝-1/16	Rezende	5-⅛
Do. Props.......	3⅞-4½d	Rhod. Bk. Hill...	6/9-3d
Burma Corp.......	4⅝-⅛	Randfontein	18/6-3d
Bwana M'Kubwa	5/6-3d	Randfontein C..	14/6-9d
Cape Copper	2¼+⅛	Russo-Asiatic	4⅝-⅛
Casey Cobalt	4/-3d	Rio Tinto	67⅛-1
E. Rand Props..	4/9-3d	South Crofty	2⅛+⅛
East. Pioneer...	13/6-3d	Tanalyk	2⅛+
Falcon	20/6-1/3	Tanganyika	5⅛-⅛
Gaika Gold	15/6+9d	Trans. Selec.......	25/6+6d
Goldfields S.A..........	2⅛-⅛	Do. Develop.......	11/-+9d
Kleinfontein	16/3+3d	Van Ryn	⅞+⅛
Ldn. Rhodesia......	7/-6d	Vaal River	1⅛+⅛
Lonely Reef.....	35/6-1/-	Willoughby	6/6-3d
Modder	26⅛-⅛	Zambesi	1⅛-⅛
Min. C. Canada..	12/-+6d	Zinc Corp.	27/6+1/-
Ooregum Pref...	26/3-3d		

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo-Dutch	34/-3d	Pegoh	59/6-6d
Anglo-Java	6/6½-2½d	Pelepah Valley..	4/-1½d
Anglo-Malay	14/-3d	Rub. Trust....	28/6½+3½d
Bessohi	21/6-10½d	Sablas	21/6-6d
Bekoh	4/6½-1½d	Sendayan	53/4½+10½d
Chersonese	3/6½+2d	Sialang	75/-2/6
Con. Malay	12/-1½d	Sing. Para	4/3+3d
Dolok	3/6-2d	Sing. United	3/6+1d
Java Amal.........	28/9-5/6	Sungei Buaya..	61/3+1/9
Johore Rub.......	33/3-3/-	Sungei Kapar..	9/7½-1/-
Kombok	5/6-6d	Taiping	4/-+3d
Lanadron ...	35/10½-4½d	Tandjong..	91/10½-1/10½
Linggi	27/9-4½d	Telogoredjo	44/-6d
Lok Kawi	25/4½+4½d	Un. Serdang	12/-3d
Lon. Asiatic.............	9/-3d	Un. Sumatra	8/3+3d
Malayalam	40/9-3d	Vallambrosa	22/3-9d
Mooply Valley..	43/9-1/3	Yam Seng	7/8¼
Nordanal	23/6-1/3		

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following were the "markings" in active stocks and shares in London yesterday:—

3½ p.c. War Loan—88⅜, ⅜, ½, 8, ¼, ⅛, 8. 4½ p.c. War Loan—100¼, ⅛, ⅜, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. 5 p.c. War Loan—96, 5⅞, 1/16, 6, 5⅞, 15/16, 6, 5⅞, 15/16, 6. 4 p.c. War Loan—101, ¼, 100⅞, 1, 1/16, 100⅞. Aerated Bread—61/7½, 2/6, 1/3, 10½d., 3/1½, 2/2½, 1/3, 2/-, 2½d. Armstrong—41/-, 3d., 4½d. Assoc. Cement—6⅛, 3/16, 5/32, ⅛, £6 16/9, ⅛, 3/16. Do. Pref.—9, 1/16, 1/16, 1/32. British Westinghouse—50/3, 50/-. Brunner Mond—42/-, 3d., 1½d., 6d., 7½d. Burmah Oil—6⅝. B.S.A.—71/10½. Brit. Amer. Tobacco—115/3, 6/-, 3d., 7/6, 5/7½, 3d., 6/3, 5/3. Brit. Argentine Meat—25/6, 5/-, 4/6, 5/-. Brit. Oil and Cake—40/3, 39/9. Burmah Corp.—91/10½, 3/1½, 2/6, 3/1½, 2/6. Broken Hill Prop.—56/-, 5/7½, 6/-. Bisichi Tin—14/10½. Bwan M'Kubwa—5/7½, 1½d., 6d. Camp Bird—13/10½. Chartered—19/1½, 3d., 2½d., 4½d., 3¾d., 5½d., 6d., 3½d., 7½d., 19/3, 9d. City Deep—57/9, 3d. Coats—7⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 55/64. Courtaulds—7⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞. Consol. Goldfields of S.A.—43/1½, 2/9, 2½d., 3/1½, *1/7½. County Bank—17⅜, ⅞, ⅞, £17 18/6, 17⅞, 18, 17⅞, ⅞. Crown Mines—46/3, 7/6, 6/10½. Dick Kerr—30/-, 1/-, 6d., 9d., 30/9, 1/-, 2½d. Dunlop Ord.—91/10½, *90/7½, 2/6, 3/1½, 5/-. Eastern Pioneer—13/7½, 4½d., 13/-, 4½d., 9d. Eastmans—15/1½, 5½d. Ediswan—16/4½. Govt. Areas—95/3¾, 5/-, 4/6, 5/-. Great Boulder Prop.—11/1½, 3d., *10/-. Highlands Rubber—55/-. Hudson's Associated—55/-, 6d., 6/3, 5/9, 3d., 6/3, *3/6, 6/6. Johannes. Consol.—23/9½, 4½d., 6d., 7½d., *2/-, *3/3, 2/7½. Kyshtim—40/-, 39/4½, 8/9, 40/-. Linggi Rubber—28/-, 3d., 7/9, 8/-. Lipton Ord.—26/6, 10½d. Marconi Ord.—93/1½, 1/10½, 2/6, 1/3, 3/9, 1/10½; do. Marine—67/-, 9d., 8/1½, 7/-, 8/-; do. America—32/6, 1/6, 3d., 2/-, 10½d., 3/-, 2/-, 3d.; do. Canada—14/1½, 14/-, 13/9, 14/4½. Maypole Def.—18/9, 7½d., 19/-, 18/9, 10½d. Mexican Eagle—80/-, 4½d. Midland Bank—8⅜, ⅞. Mond Nickel—78/9, 6/3. National Provincial Bank (£10½)—30, ½, ¼, 1⅛, ⅛; do. (£12)—35, ½, ⅛, ⅞, 6, ¼, ½, 5⅞, 6⅛, 6. National Explosives—29/6, 8/9, 9/4½, 30/-, 3d., 7½d. Niger Land—58/6, 9/3, 6d., 8/6, 9/6, 8/9, 9/3. Nobel's—75/7½. Parent Def.—62/6, 3/3. Rand Mines—61/3, 60/7½, 1/6½. Rubber Trust—28/6, 3d., 4½d., 1½d., 8/-, 6d., 3d. Russo-Asiatic—91/3, 10½d., 3d., 90/-. Shell—116/10½, 17/-, 16/6½, 10½d., 17/1½, 15/1½, 17/9, 6d. Smithfield and Argentine—33/3, 3/-. South Crofty—43/1½, 2/6. Springs—77/3, 8/1½, 7/6, 5/7½, 6/3, 7/6. Tanganyika—5⅜, ⅛, 3/32, 1/16, ⅛, ⅛. Underground—57/9, 8/9, 6d., 7/6, 8/1½, 3d., 9d., 7/9½. Union Corp.—16/10½, 17/-, 16/7½, 9d., 17/-, *16/9, 17/4½, 3d. United Steel—26/3, 5/10½, 6d., 6/-, 5/9. Vickers—42/3, *7/-, 2/3, 6d., 10½d., 7½d. Zinc Corp.—27/6, 9d., 10½d., 4½d., 7/-, 7½d., 7/-.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BUENOS AYRES WESTERN RAILWAY.—Dividend on the Ordinary stock of 2 per cent. (less tax) for the year ended 30th June, 1918.

BANK OF MONTREAL, LONDON.—Dividend declared of 2½ per cent. for the quarter ending 31st October, 1918, together with a bonus of 1 per cent.

BUENOS AYRES GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY.—The Board recommend a dividend of 2 per cent. (less tax) for the whole year ended 30th June, 1918, on the Ordinary Stock.

BRYANT AND MAY.—The heavy Excise duty on matches now payable to the Government and the provision of cash for the extension of business have rendered an increase of capital necessary. The Board, therefore, recommend the following proposals for the shareholders' consideration and approval:—(a) The increase of the capital by the creation of 600,000 new Ordinary Shares of £1 each; (b) the capitalisation of £160,000 of the accumulated reserves and undivided profits, and the distribution by way of bonus among holders of the existing 400,000 Ordinary Shares of 160,000 new Ordinary Shares credited as fully paid up in the proportion of two new shares for each five existing shares. The new shares, when issued, will rank in all respects pari passu with the existing Ordinary Shares. The directors further propose, in addition to the issue of the bonus shares, to offer to the Ordinary Shareholders, 240,000 new Ordinary Shares in the proportion of three new shares for each five existing shares held at the price of 25/- per share.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—BUSINESS DONE:—War Loan 5 per cent., 95¾; London Co., Westminster, and Parrs, 17½; Standard of South Africa, 12⅛; Linen Thread Pref.-Ord. 6 p.c. 21/-; Dunville, 12¼; Ulster Steamship, 25; Ulster Marine Insurance, 27/6, 28/-; Robinson and Cleaver 5 per cent. Pref., 15/-; Lever 6 per cent. "A" Pref. 20/10½; do. 8 per cent. "B" Pref. 20/10½; Vulcanite 5 per cent., 20/-; Dunlop Rubber "B," 21/3; Marconis American, 32/3; London Co. Bank (Fractions), 6; New South Wales 5½ per cent., 99½.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market steady. Rolls Royce strong; Rovers and Swifts hardened. Belsize, 31/-; Components, 21/9; do. Pref., 24/6; do. Def., 23/-; Darracqs, 38/3; Enfield, 34/9; Humbers, 21/9; Napiers, 37/-; Premier, 1/9; Rolls Royce, 56/3; Rovers, 69/4½; Rudges, 38/6; Sunbeams, 76/-; Swifts, 36/-; Triumphs, 47/9; Vauxhalls, 28/10½; Dunlops, 95/-; Parents, 24/-; do. Def., 63/3; Small Arms, 71/-; Kynochs, 34/-; Charrons, 21/6.

MANCHESTER.—A steady market existed for Textiles. Coats added 1/3 and Dyers 1/-. Closing prices:—Bleachers, 21/3 to 21/9; do. Pref., 19/9 to 20/-; Bradford Dyers, 40/6 to 41/-; do. Pref., 18/6 to 19/-; "Slubbers," 7/6 to 7/9; Calico Printers, 16/6 to 16/9; do. Pref., 15/6 to 15/9; Coats, 7⅞ to 7⅞; Sewing Cottons, 66/- to 67/-; do. Pref., 18/9 to 19/3; Fine Spinners, 40/6 to 41/-; do. Pref., 18/9 to 19/-; Velvets, 33/- to 33/6; do. Pref., 17/6 to 18/-.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON.—Alliance, New, 12⅛, ¼; Atlas, 11⅞, ⅞, ½; Commercial Union, 48⅞, 8⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 9¼; Guardian, 6⅛; Phœnix, 10⅞, ⅞, ⅞; Sun, 15⅛, ⅛.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, 230/6; Commercial Union, 48⅞, *9; Employers' Liability, 28⅞; Liverpool, London, and Globe, 28⅞, *11/4½; London and Lancashire Fire, *46⅞, ⅞, ⅞; Merchants' Marine, 10⅛; North British and Mercantile, 39⅞; Phœnix, 215/9; Scottish Union and National, 104/6; Sea, 28⅞; Sun, 15⅞, ⅞, 8/6.

Shares marked thus (*) are for less than £1,000 of stock or less than a marketable number of shares.

TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Net increases for last week.—Central Argentine, £17,300; Buenos Ayres Great Southern, £37,000; do. Western, £10,000. Increases for last week—Buenos Ayres and Pacific, £92,000; Central Uruguay, £949; do. Eastern Extension, £387; do. Northern Extension, £1,106; do. Western Extension, £267.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPH.

Chinese Government 8 p.c. Ten-Year Sterling Bonds.—We are informed that allotment letters have been posted.

MARKET REPORTS.

CATTLE.—GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Trade in cattle and sheep slow; the former in moderate supply, but of indifferent quality, especially the consignments from Ireland. These chiefly consisted of scraggy cows, stocks of which are being reduced as usual at this season. A fair clearance effected. Over 6,000 sheep on offer, and all were readily disposed of at the usual graded values. Lambs scarce. Better classed mutton scarce. Dead meat trade brisk in both beef and mutton.

GRAIN.—FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (THE BALTIC), Wednesday.—WHEAT offerings were absorbed at official prices; all imported descriptions quoted 80/- per 480lbs. MAIZE—South African 88/6 to 95/-, American mixed 90/- to 95/-, do. white 92/- to 93/-, and yellow La Plata 90/- 480lbs. BARLEY—Californian and Oregon 90/- per 448lbs. American malting 81/-, Canadian Western No. 3 81/-, No. 4 77/6 per 400lbs. OATS—American white clipped quoted 59/- to 59/6 per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Wednesday.—ENGLISH WHEAT steady; whites, delivered up, 75/6 to 76/6; reds, 75/0 to 76/6 per qr., 504lbs. Foreign grades sparingly offered; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, No. 2 do., No. 2 Club Calcutta, Australian spot, choice white Karachi, Pacific, and Argentine, all 84/1½ ex ship per 496lbs. FLOUR in good request; Canadian exports patents, 50/3 to 51/9 ex warehouse, 280lbs.; American, 50/3 to 51/9 ex warehouse, 280lbs.; Japanese, 50/- to 50/6; English G.R., 44/3 ex mills. GRINDING BARLEY nominal; new native, 67/- to 68/- per 448lbs. OATS firm; new native, 48/- to 49/- per 336lbs.; Canadian, 64/- to 65/- ex quay, 320lbs.; Plate, 62/6 to 63/6 ex quay, 320lbs.; American white clipped, 61/6 to 62/6 ex quay, 320lbs. MAIZE nominally unaltered; mixed American, 94/- to 96/- ex quay, 480lbs.; African, 94/- upwards ex quay, 480lbs.; Plate, 92/- to 94/- ex quay, 480lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—C.i.f. parcels of wheat and maize were not offered, but prices nominally unchanged. WHEAT on the spot ruled quiet but steady at yesterday's market currencies, some No. 1, 2, and 3 Manitoba in store being allocated at 82/- per qr. MAIZE—Spot parcels remained nominal in the absence of sellers. FLOUR again moved fairly at unchanged prices. Wheat and maize c.i.f. parcels were inactive through lack of offers. OAT GROATS ex store realised 78/6 per qr.

PROVISIONS.—DUBLIN POTATO, Wednesday.—No change in trade for potatoes. Prices run at 6/- per cwt. in the main, and 6/6 for extra handled stuff.

LONDON, Wednesday.—BUTTER—An allotment for October is in course of distribution. CHEESE—British and imported—A 50 per cent. allotment for October is now in course of distribution; wholesale price 1/5½, retail 1/8 per lb. BACON—Canadian and American required for Army use. Danish supplies now on the way. LARD—American in steady supply, 158/- importers' price to appointed wholesalers.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—BACON—The situation for American bacon here presented no new feature, the arrivals at this port being small, and allocations on the 60 p.c. basis, chiefly from store, and of the cheaper cuts, largely comprising backs and American bellies, finding a ready sale, as the better selections were scarce, Wiltshires and Cumberlands being almost unobtainable. Shoulders also offered sparingly, while a good demand was again experienced, especially for square cut. HAMS in small compass, especially short cut American, supplies generally being barely equal to requirements. Canadian sides freely inquired for, while the permits granted to Irish curers are expected to bring some of these meats on the market at 189/6 per cwt., carriage paid. Danish remained nominal. LARD on the spot met a continued fair inquiry, and offerings were about equal to the rationing needs. CHEESE steady at Government rates; portions of recent allotment are now being distributed. BUTTER scarce and goes freely into consumption on the controlled basis. EGGS scarce and firm at 54/- to 55/6 per 120 for Irish, with tendency still upwards, the quantity of pickled eggs recently released by the Government to be retailed at 4½d. each being insufficient to relieve the situation.

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DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Wednesday.—Moderate mid-week supplies on market. Sales slow, but a clearance effected. York cabbage, 26/- to 35/-, 38/-, and extra, 47/6 to 51/- per load; Swede turnips, 2/6 per cwt.; celery, 1/- to 2/6 per bunch; salad, 3d. to 4d. per dozen; white turnips, 3d. to 6d. and 8d. per bundle; cauliflowers, 2/- to 3/6 per dozen; parsley, 6d. to 10d. per lot. Other commodities much as before.

DUBLIN FISH, Wednesday.—Market of best fish comprised some small oddments from country and local boats. Arrivals included—1 package trout, 7 chests lobsters, 231 boxes, etc., herrings, 30 of mackerel. Good sale for fresh qualities of stuff. Best lobsters, 30/- to 35/- per 15; seconds, 15/- to 20/-; smalls, 7/- to 12/- per 15; best soles, 30/- to 40/-; mediums, 25/- to 30/-; slips, 15/- to 20/- per 9 pairs; large plaice, 8/- to 10/- per 4; others, 5/- to 8/- per 8; half-boxes of plaice, 60/- to 100/-; ray, 20/- to 25/-; mackerel, 22/- to 25/- per box; herrings, 17/6 to 36/- per box, 50/- to 55/- per barrel.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Wednesday.—Supply fairly heavy; trade steady. Soles and slips, 2/6½; turbot and brill, 1/9; eels, 1/6; cured haddocks, 1/1 to 1/7 per lb.; plaice, 15/- to 18/-; halibut, 24/6; lemon soles, 20/6; live cod, hake, haddocks, and bream, 11/3; mackerel, 5/-; whiting, 8/- to 11/-; ling, 7/-; codfish and conger eels, 5/-; monkfish, 6/6 to 7/-; skate and roker, 10/- to 12/-; fresh herrings, 6/3; bloaters, 6/- to 7/-; kippers, 10/- per stone; whitebait, 1/- per quart.

BUTTER.—CORK, Wednesday.—Firsts, 233/-; seconds, 222/-; fresh butter, 241/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.—LONDON, Wednesday.—SUGAR—Market unaltered. HONEY firm and sparingly offered, with a good demand. COFFEE—Market quiet. SPICE—Pepper dull and weak. Cloves slow. SHELLAC—Market quiet on former terms. RUBBER quiet, and values declined; standard plantation crepe spot sold 2/5 to 2/4½, smoked ribbed sheet spot done 2/4. TURPENTINE steady, unchanged. PETROLEUM unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—JAPANESE FARINA—The market is dearer at 86/- to 87/- for spot, and shipment is quoted nominally 85/- to 84/- per cwt., c.i.f. PALM KERNELS—Larger arrivals would be readily taken up by eager buyers. PALM OIL—Supplies are adequate for consumers' requirements. RANGOON BEANS unaltered. PEAS—No change. HARICOT BEANS—For Brazilian coloured £37 [illegible] store is the fixed price. LINSEED OIL—For raw naked 75/- per cwt. is required. NITRATE OF SODA is a quiet market at £26 10/- per ton.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Wednesday.—Market remains firm.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Wednesday.—American met retail business. Bowed reduced 18 to 19 points, Texas 31 to 32 points; Brazilian reduced 12 points; Indian reduced 10 points; Egyptian is quiet. Sales, 2,000; imports, 4,227 bales. October, 22.35d.; November, 21.95d.; January, 20.79d.; February, 20.39d.

LONDON METALS MARKET.—COPPER steady; standard, cash and three months, £122 to £122 10/-; electros, £137 to £135. LEAD and SPELTER unchanged. TIN steady; standard, cash and forward, fixed at £333 10/- to £334 10/-; settlement price £334. Forty tons, now landing, sold.

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IRISH GAME PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

The Executive Committee of the Irish Game Protection Association met yesterday at their offices, 110 Grafton street, Dublin. Colonel Sir Frederick Shaw, Bart., D.S.O., presided. There were also present:—Dr. R. R. Leeper, Mr. R. W. Hall-Dare, D.L.; Mr. W. H. F. Verschoyle, Mr. John W. Richards, and the Secretary.

The Committee had under consideration the recent Order relating to the custody of firearms in Ireland, as it affected sporting guns used for legitimate purposes by sporting men. The recent Order of the Lord Lieutenant fixing the close season for hares in Co. Mayo from 12th March to 20th September was noted. Correspondence was read with members relating to the enforcement of the Game Laws, and the powers of Justices in granting game dealers' licences. The Committee then ruled on offences against the Game Laws reported by their inspectors and members, and ordered prosecutions in several cases.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Thursday, October 24th, 1918.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar or Chief Clerk, 11.—Arrangt., ex. comp., J. J. M'Donald; do., vouch ac., J. R. Cresswell; Murphy, do., J. R. Peart.

LAND JUDGES.—Receiver Office. Mr. Foot, Examiner. Receiver's Account—Casey v. Kelly (adjourned till 31st inst.), R. Morris.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Land Purchase Acts. At the Examiners' Chambers, Dublin Castle. Before Mr. J. Herbert Shaw, 11.30—Fredk. R. T. T. Gascoigne, vouch. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, 11.30—A. M. Rotton and anor., discharge rulings and settle sch. Before Mr. J. G. Franks, 11—E. Adams.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER, at 11.—Ejectments—Franks v. Mahon; Doyle v. Oakes; Flood v. O'Loughlin; Metropolitan Race Co. v. Thunder; Stephenson v. Doyle; Byrne v. Pedlow; Goff v. Cahill; Drake v. Rooney; Stewart v. Kavanagh; Griffith v. Hannon; Ross v. O'Connell; same v. same; Lucan Hotel Co. v. Phelan; Stamper v. Phillips; same v. Newman; Croly v. Campbell; West v. Browning; Gaffney v. White; Hughes v. Powell; Toomey v. Kenny; Verschoyle v. O'Farrell; same v. Murphy; Bently v. Santi; Black v. Shellard; O'Sullivan v. Williams; Travers v. Lacey; Byrne v. English; Canrass v. M'Anaspie; same v. same. Applications—Arigho v. Clench; Butler v. Garrett; Byrne v. Manning; Carr v. Gillespie; Conlon v. M'Caffrey; Dockrell v. Kenny; Dundealgan Co. v. Typer; Findlater v. Lally; G.S. and W. Rly. Co. v. Carey; Kavanagh v. Caherlin; Mahaffy v. Ratcliffe; O'Connell v. Dunne; Pidgeon v. Balfe; Robinson v. Tucker; Sherry v. Rooney; Shea v. Bradlaw; Thompson v. Kenny; White v. Neilan.

DUBLIN BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

The weekly meeting of the Guardians of the Dublin Union was held yesterday in the Boardroom, James's street, Mr. John Scully, J.P., Chairman, presiding.

Mr. Patrick McKenna, J.P., proposed a resolution calling upon the Local Government Board to hold a "searching sworn inquiry into the alleged looting of the ratepayers' property in the North Dublin Union after amalgamation with the South Dublin Union had been officially announced." He said it was very important that the rumours as to looting of ratepayers' property should be investigated by a competent and independent tribunal. It was stated that strong appeals had been made to the Local Government Board not to hold such an inquiry, but he hoped they would disregard such appeals, and have the matter cleared up.

Mr. Anderson seconded the motion, which was strongly supported by the Chairman and other Guardians.

The resolution was adopted, three Guardians dissenting.

The relieving officers reported that in several districts they had been obliged to appoint temporary additional medical officers in order to cope with influenza cases. The Board confirmed the appointments and fixed the remuneration for these special services at the rate of six guineas per week.

THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, October 23, 1918.

REGULAR FORCES.—R. Dub. Fus.—Lt. H. G. Aylmer relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. Officer, A.S.C., is attd. to infantry regt.—R. Ir. Rif.—Temp. Lt. R. W. M. Masters.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.—Temp. Col. Sir F. Treves, Bart., G.C.V.O., C.B., F.R.C.S. (Hon. Col., R.A.M.C., T.F.), relinquishes his temp. commission on re-posting. To be actg. Majors—Temp. Capt. W. E. Hallinan, Temp. Capt. T. T. Higgins, M.B., F.R.C.S.; Capt. T. J. Hallinan, M.B.

REGULAR FORCES.—INFANTRY (ATTD.).—R. Muns. Fus.—Hon. Lt. G. F. Maher (late temp. Lt.) to be temp. Lt. R. Dub. Fus.—Temp. Lt. C. J. O'Carroll, from a Res. Bn., to be temp. Lt. R. Ir. Regt.—Lt. T. Allen (Ches. R., T.F.) to be actg. Capt. while commanding a Co. R. Innis. Fus.—Temp. Sec. Lt. (actg. Capt.) H. Hobson to be temp. Capt. R. Ir. Rif.—Temp. 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts.—R. R. Boyd, F. W. H. Caughey. Conn. Rang.—Capt. J. H. R. Dickson, M.C. (Spec. Res.), to be Adjt., vice temp. Lt. H. P. Trend, M.C., R. Dub. Fus.—Capt. W. B. Little, D.S.O., M.C. (E. Lan. R.), from actg. Lt.-Col., Bord. R., T.F., retains the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. while commanding a Bn.

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COMING EVENTS.

Madame Bonfils's Recital.—To-night the first of a series of pianoforte recitals will be given in the Town Hall, Clontarf, by Madame Bonfils, when some of the chief works of Beethoven will be performed.

Bibliographical Society of Ireland.—A general meeting takes place next Tuesday evening, 29th inst., at 7.45 p.m., sharp, in the Public Library, Great Brunswick street. A paper on "Irish street Ballads" will be read by Mr. P. J. MacCall, preceded by an introductory address by Mr. E. R. McC. Dix, M.R.I.A., Chairman of the Society.

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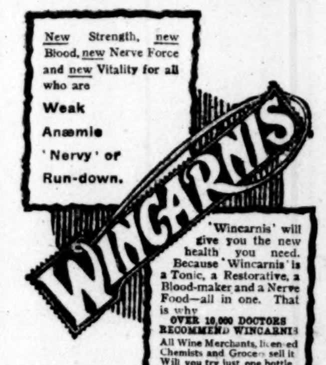

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DUBLIN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Major Arthur Whewell presided. Also present:—Mr. Freeman W. Deane, Mr. William Perrin, Mr. G. W. Marsh, and C. E. Grahame Harvey, Secretary. The minutes of previous meeting were read, confirmed, and signed. Fifteen cases of cruelty were reported by the inspectors during the week. Seven are to be summoned, four to be cautioned, two to be sent to the veterinary surgeon to report on, and on two no order was made. A list of convictions obtained during the week in cases already read. Reports on dogs sold and claimed at the Dogs' Home, Grand Canal quay, during the week were submitted.

The following contributions were thankfully acknowledged, viz.:—Lady Deane, 10/-; Mrs. Trent Stoughton, £1; "J. H.," 10/-; Messrs. Mining and Co., Ltd., 10/-; Miss F. A. Mitchell, 10/-; Messrs. Thomas Heiton and Co., Ltd., £1 1/-; Miss Metcalf, 10/-; Miss E. R. Vowell 2/6; Messrs. John Barrington and Sons, Ltd., 10/-; Mrs. Goddard, 10/-; Miss Carroll, 5/-; Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, £1; Dermot O'C. Donelan, Esq., J.P., £1; Sir Joseph Downes, 10/-; Miss Atkinson, 2/6; Mrs. M., 3d. (donation); Miss Little, 1/-; Mrs. Bradburne, 2/6; Mrs. Morland, 1/-; Miss B. Burchill, 1/-.

Having disposed of the remaining business on the agenda, the Committee adjourned.

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BLANCHARDSTOWN, 60 Acres, In Divisions. — FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, 1918, at Eleven o'clock, at Courtlaff, for Miss Bobbett.

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CLEARANCE AUCTIONS.

TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, 1918, HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, IMPLEMENTS, MACHINERY, etc.,

AT GOLLIERSTOWN, LUCAN, for Messrs. Nash.

SATURDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER, 1918, CATTLE, HORSES, CROPS, IMPLEMENTS, AND LETTING OF LANDS FOR GRAZING AND TILLAGE,

AT ROSEBERRY, NEWBRIDGE, for Mrs. Flood.

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SALE OF VALUABLE FARM.

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CATTLE.—25 Two and Three-year-old Bullocks, 7 Yearlings.

HORSES.—6 good Farm Horses, in hard-fed condition; one good Pony.

CROPS.—About 70 Tons Oaten Straw, about 10 Acres Mangolds, Turnips, Potatoes, and Carrots.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.—Combined Reaper and Binder, by Massey Harris, nearly new, 2 Mowing Machines (Pierce), 4 Hay Bogies, Spring Cattle Float, 2 Farm Carts, 2 Spring Carts, Spring Van, Turnip Cutter, Oilcake Crusher, Two-horse Roller, Single Horse Roller, 2 Hay Collectors, 2 Hay Rakes, 2 Swath Turners, 3 Chill Ploughs (2 by Pierce and 1 by Ransome), Grubber, American Scuffler, 2 Turnip Sowers, Drill Plough, Three-part Harrow, Two-part Harrow, 2 Hay Crates on wheels, Spring Harrow, 2 Chain Harrows, 2 Sheeling Machines, 2 Grinding Stones, 6 Sets Cart Harness, Set of Van Harness, 2 Sets Back Bands, Sheep Dipping Tub on springs, a number of Hay Forks, Manure Forks and other Farming Tools, 12 Earthenware Feeding Troughs, 36 Wooden Feeding Troughs, 24 Metal Feeding Troughs, 2 Sand Screens, Galvanised Outbin, 2 large Metal Baths, large Wooden Vat, 12 Iron Paling Stays, good 4-wheel Feeding Lorry, Metal Roller, 3 long Ladders, smaller do., 3 large Wooden Boxes, Fowl Box, quantity of Scrap Iron and Zinc, etc., etc.

FOWL.—About 36 Cockerels (Leghorn and Orpington Cross).

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock.

Terms—Cash. Purchasers pay 2½ per cent. Auction Fees on Live Stock, 5 per cent. on Crops, Implements, etc.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

THIS DAY (THURSDAY),
CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS,
9 BACHELOR'S WALK.
SELLING BY AUCTION,
CHOICE COLLECTION OF
ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE,
Removed from Ailesbury road, Pembroke road, Hatch street.

Queen Anne Sideboard, Bureau, and Bookcase, Mirrored Sideboards, Folding Screen, Fancy Chairs and Tables, Square Piano, Dinner Tables, Beds, Bedding, Pr. Vel. Curtains, 4 yds. long; Gilt and Walnut Overmantels, Pictures, Couches, Easy and Single Chairs, Wardrobe, T Tables, Wash-stand, Ware, Rails, Hall Stands, Chime Clock, Carpets, Oil Cloth, Rugs, 6 Chippendale Chairs, Kerbs and Brasses, Duchess Table, Marble Stand, Drapery Fixtures, Plants, Garden Tools, Fowls. Sale 1 o'clock. Fees, 5 per cent.

P. A. WREN,
Auctioneer and House Agent,
9 BACHELOR'S WALK.

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH & CO.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31st, 1918, at 2 p.m., at 4 HAYMARKET—Sale of compact Property, situated at Newcastle, Hazelhatch, for Mrs. Lawlor. Area 1a. 0r. 4p. Rent £4 7s. 0d. P.L.V. £5 0s. 0d.

SETTING OF LARGE DAIRY YARD, privately, with good Hay and Cow Sheds, also Trings and Troughs, at Island Bridge.

ALSO BY PRIVATE TREATY—100 Acres Rich Grazing Lands at Ballycoolin and Sprickleston, and 100 Acres Prime Grazing Lands at The Ward, Co. Dublin.

Also 10½ Acres of the Lands of Charstown, Ashbourne, to be Let Privately, for Out Crop, for M. J. Doyle, Esq.

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH & CO.,
Auctioneers and Valuers, Live Stock Salesmen and Factors,
4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN. 'Phone, 3.

COUNTY WESTMEATH.
RATHGANNY HOUSE AND LANDS.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF CHOICE FATTENING FARM, With nice Residence, Yard, and Out-Offices, All in perfect repair.

I HAVE been favoured with instructions from Edmund Mooney, Esq., TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, At the GREVILLE ARMS HOTEL, MULLINGAR, On THURSDAY, 14th Day of NOVEMBER, 1918, At One o'clock,

All that Part of the Lands of Rathganny, containing 161a. 0r. 0p., Statute Measure, or thereabouts.

The Premises and Lands are held by the Vendor in Fee. A Judicial Rent of £120 0s. 0d. yearly will be created, and will be sold subject to this rent. The P.L.V. is £145 0s. 0d.

The Lands adjoin the Railway Station at Multyfarnham, and are of best fattening quality, well watered, sheltered, and fenced, and within 1 mile of Multyfarnham Village, and about 6 miles from Mullingar.

The Residence, which is of nice size, very well situated, being quite close to Multyfarnham Railway Station (M.G.W.R.), and in perfect repair, contains drawingroom, diningroom, breakfast room, hall, servants' room, large kitchen, on ground floor, and 5 well laid out bedrooms on second floor; bathroom, hot and cold water, and perfect sanitary arrangements.

The Yard is very compact, capable of accommodating 6 horses, 20 head of cattle, coachhouse, harness room, large hay lofts, and everything suitable to the requirements of the Farm.

Purchaser to pay one-fourth the purchase money, together with 5 per cent. Auctioneer's fees, on being declared purchaser.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to WM. MOONEY and SON, Solicitors, 16 Fleet street, Dublin; or to

DAN LEAVEY,
Auctioneer, etc.,
LENEY and MULLINGAR.
Mullingar Office—10 GREVILLE STREET.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.
PREMISES AND SAW MILL MACHINERY AT WICKLOW.

WE are instructed by Messrs. Pim to SELL BY AUCTION their remaining Premises, and also the Saw Mill Machinery, Lancashire Boiler, Horizontal Steam Engine, Log, Deal and Band Saws, Travelling Bench, Planing Machine, Roller Mill, Ash, Oak, Cherry, Chestnut, Elm, Spruce, &c.,

ON THE PREMISES, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP, ON TUESDAY, NOV. 5TH.

LOT 1—The Leasehold Premises, comprising almost one statute acre, adjacent to the quay, with Stores, Lofts, and Offices thereon, and held (a) as to one portion for a term of 75 years from 1853, indemnified against all rent; (b), as to another portion for 99 years from 1861, subject to a rent of £18 per annum; (c), as to another portion for 99 years from 1870, subject to a rent of £8 per annum; (d), and as to another portion subject to £1 per annum. Valuation of the entire £26.

LOT 2—Shop, with Store and Lime Kiln, on the quays, held on a yearly tenancy from the Corporation of Wicklow at a rent of £15. P.L.V. £18.

The above will be sold without the machinery, which will be sold immediately afterwards, comprising—Lancashire Boiler, 18ft. long, single flue, diameter 2ft. 10in.; Horizontal Steam Engine, 30in. stroke, slide valve and governor cut off; Deal saw, capable of cutting deals 18in. x 8in., self feed; Log Saw, capable of cutting logs 23in. x 20in., self feed; Bogies; Travelling Bench, 30ft. x 2ft., metal frame, capable of dealing with timber 42ft. long, in first-condition; several Saws up to 42in. diameter, Circular Saw Bench, 8ft. x 3ft.; Band Saw, table 42in. square, tilting, rising, and falling head; Heavy Planing and Double-spindle Machine, Grind Stone, Roller Mill, for grinding or bruising oats, fitted with elevators, timber hopper and spouts; powerful Sewer Sinking Press, with several punches and dies; Saw Sharpening Vice and Bench, 7in. centred back geared Screw-cutting Lathe, shears 8in. long, shafting and counter-shafts; portable Smith's Hearth, miscellaneous Engineer's Tools, Mortice Machine, Drilling do., Carpenter's Bench, 18 Ledge and Panel Doors, Plate-glass Window, Window Frames, Counters, Fire Bricks and Floor Tiles, Stable Paving Bricks, Roofing and Ridge Tiles, Sewer Pipes and Connections, Traps, 350 Ash, Oak, and Cherry Planks, 350 Boards, Chestnut, Elm, &c.; 5,000 Mouldings, Architraves, &c.; 200 Oak Spokes and Staves, 1,500 American Spruce Ends, lot Colliery Chocks, Sleepers and Wedges, Ships' Masts, Booms, Spars, scaffold Planks and Poles, 20 Ladders, 3 Sand Screens, about 2 dozen Wheel, Navvy and Hand Barrows, Handcarts, 2 Spring Coal Drays, Timber Drays, Timber Janker, 2 Crab Winches, Cargo Winch, Water Barrows, Coal Tube, Hay Rake, Harrow, 6 Beam Scales and Weights, 50 tons Building Sand, and numerous other miscellaneous items.

Messrs. TOOMEY and BARBER, Solicitors, 4 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin.

BALLINACARRIG, CARLOW.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY B. M. SLOCOCK, Esq., TO SELL HIS FARM BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE LANDS,

On FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH.

Situated within one mile of the town and railway station. It has been used as, and is fenced as a Stud Farm, is watered by a running stream, and intersected by the county road. The land is level, in good heart, sound and healthy for all stock. Beef Cattle sold off the land in May at 85s. without hay or cake.

LOT 1 will contain 75 acres 0 roods 8 perches, on which there is a substantial two-storey dwelling, in first-class repair, and contains 10 rooms, extensive stabling, cow sheds, &c., in enclosed yard. This land is bounded by a river and by the county road. Annuity £71 12s. 0d.

LOT 2 will contain 54 acres 3 roods 1 perch, bounded by a river and by the county road. Annuity £47 5s. 10d.

LOT 3 will contain 67 acres 1 rood 0 perch, divided from Lots 1 and 2 by the county road, and is heavily manured land, at present under tillage. Annuity £39 0s. 0d.

Being so convenient to the town, male and female labour is very plentiful. The position is all that could be desired by any person requiring a Stud Farm, being within two miles of kennels, close to polo ground, and in the centre of a good hunting and residential locality. The valuation of the entire is £134 15s. 0d. on land, and £22 10s. 0d. on buildings. Total rates for the year £31 2s. 6d.

We can recommend this Farm as being one of the best in the district, and well worth inspecting.

PAUL A. BROWN, Esq., Carlow, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

ESTABLISHED 1815. 'PHONES 48 & 49.
BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

TO-DAY (THURSDAY), AT 1.30 O'C. SHARP.

RATHMORE, GLENAGEARY. 5 BELGRAVE PARK, RATHMINES. (WITH POSSESSION.) | 3 AND 4 NELSON ST. & COTTAGE. TYRONE RESTAURANT, CATHEDRAL STREET.

AS ALREADY ADVERTISED.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
IN RE P. J. McCABE, DECEASED.
9 TALBOT STREET.
VALUABLE VICTUALLING BUSINESS AS A GOING CONCERN WITH LICENSED SLAUGHTERHOUSE ATTACHED; ALSO
6 MAIN STREET, DUNDRUM,
AS A GOING CONCERN, TOGETHER WITH THE SLAUGHTERHOUSE. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION AT AN EARLY DATE (IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF). FULL PARTICULARS IN LATER ANNOUNCEMENTS.
Messrs. RYAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors, 35 Stephen's Green.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

SALE THIS DAY, AT 12 O'CLOCK.
'SHANAGOOLAN, NOVARA AVENUE, BRAY.
IMPORTANT SALE OF RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FIREPROOF SAFE, CARPENTER'S AND GARDEN TOOLS, PLANTS, &c.

P. J. BYRNE and SONS have received instructions from Mrs. Scott TO SELL BY AUCTION, AT SHANAGOOLAN, NOVARA AVENUE, BRAY, on TO-DAY (THURSDAY), 24th OCTOBER, 1918,

THE FOLLOWING HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Including—Fumed Oak Diningroom Suite, consisting of Sideboard, Dumb Waiter, Carving Chair, and six Dining Chairs, upholstered in red leather; Davenport, Satinwood Table, Corner Cupboard and Whatnot, handsome Bureau, Overmantel Mirror, Marble Clock, quantity of Pictures and Ornaments, Billiard Board, Copper Kettle, Bedroom Suite, Wardrobe, with mirror panel; Duchess Toilet Table, Washstand, Pedestal, Double and Single Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Chairs, Carpets, Curtains, Hall Table and Chairs, Hat and Umbrella Stand, Fireproof Safe, Step Ladders, Electric Light Fittings, quantity of Carpenter's Tools, Wheelbarrow, Garden Seats, Water Barrel, Tennis and Croquet Sets, Fishing Tackle, Garden Tools, Plants, &c.

P. J. BYRNE AND SONS, AUCTIONEERS, BRAY.

FORTHCOMING AUCTIONS BY PATRICK O'CONNOR & SON,
49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN.
'Phones—533 Dublin, and 71 Ballsbridge.

THIS DAY (THURSDAY), 24th OCTOBER.
FAIRVIEW, CLONTARF—For Dublin County Borough Local Relief Committee—Auction of 12 Acres Mangolds and Turnips, in drills. Sale 1.30 o'clock.

NEXT TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.
CONFEY, LEIXLIP, for Colonel Hartley—Letting of 100 Acres Prime Land, part for Grazing Purposes and part splendid First Crop Meadow, of most promising appearance. Sale 12 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
ST. WOLSTAN'S, CELBRIDGE, for Colonel Cane—Letting of 200 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale at 1.30 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
EASTON, LEIXLIP, for Miss Wogan—Letting of 12 Acres, part Aftergrass for Grazing for coming season, part meadow and part stubble land. Sale 3 o'clock.

NEXT THURSDAY, 31st OCTOBER.
SALE OF COMPACT FARM, with Residence and Out-Offices, Park lane, Castleknock, for Mrs. Rooney, 52a. 2r. 3p., Statute. Adjusted rent, £39 17s. 6d. P.L. Val., £91.
W. MOONEY and SON, Solicitors, 16 Fleet street.

SAME DAY.
SALE OF FARMS, ATHGARRET, NAAS, CO. KILDARE, for the Owner—295 Statute Acres; Land Commission Annuities, £177 3s. 2d.
BROWN and McCANN, Solicitors, 23 Anglesea street.

SAME DAY.
SALE OF 7 COTTAGES and MARKET GARDEN, 1 to 7 St. Joseph's terrace, Delphin's Barn, Dublin—For Executors of late J. Ramsey. Lease 50 years unexpired. Rent £2. Let at rents producing £81 18s. 0d.
W. MOONEY and SON, Solicitors, 16 Fleet street.

MONDAY, 4th NOVEMBER.
BALLYCOOLEN, convenient to Finglas and Blanchardstown—For Exors. of Mrs. Melia, decd.—Letting of 55 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale 12.30 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
MACEPOOL, THE WARD, for Mrs. K. Isdale—Letting of 70 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale 1.30 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
CHEEVERSTOWN, PRIESTOWN, for Mrs. C. Isdale—Letting of 50 Acres, in divisions. Sale 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 7th NOVEMBER.
SALE OF 3 RESIDENCES, WITH LAND, in One Lot, BALLYMUN, SANTRY, for the Owner—(a) Tower House, with 4 Acres Land; (b) Santry Lodge, with 4½ Acres Land, and (c) Residence, with ½ Acre Land. All held on lease 200 years. Rent £52 10s. 0d.

SAME DAY.
SALE OF GRAZING LANDS, RATOATH, CO. MEATH, for J. Bates, Esq.—Ratoath, Leaguania, and Jamestown, containing 155a. 2r. 38p., Statute. Land Commission Annuity, £72 1s. 2d.
HENRY F. CHIDLEY, Solicitor, 136 Great Brunswick street.

FRIDAY, 8th NOVEMBER.
BALLYHACK, RATOATH, for Mrs. Murphy—Letting of 100 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale 1 o'clock.

MONDAY, 11th NOVEMBER.
KNOCKSEDAN, SWORDS, for Misses Clean—Letting of 60 Acres Prime Grazing Land, with plenty of keep. Sale 12.30 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
CHAPELMIDWAY, ST. MARGARET'S, for Mrs. Betagh—Letting of 80 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale 1.30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER.
ANNSBROOK, BALLYBOGHILL, for P. Merrick, Esq.—Letting of 80 Acres Grazing, in divisions. Sale at 12 o'clock punctually.

SAME DAY.
NAPTOWN, NAUL, for Mrs. E. Wilson—Letting of 50 Acres Grazing, in divisions, and 10 Acres Stubble Land. Sale 1.30 o'clock.

SAME DAY.
NEWTOWN, OLDTOWN, for Mrs. Lyons—Letting of 45 Acres Grazing, in divisions, including division of Aftergrass. Sale 3 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 13th NOVEMBER.
BLUEBELL, INCHICORE, only 2 miles from Dublin, for Miss Flood—Letting of 40 Acres Prime Grazing Lands, in one or two lots. Sale 12.30 o'clock.

MONDAY, 18th NOVEMBER.
RAYSTOWN, RATOATH, for Mrs. Moran—Letting of 170 Acres Prime Fattening Land, in divisions. Sale 12.30.

MONDAY, 25th NOVEMBER.
FOLISTOWN and GAULSTOWN, DUNBOYNE, for Reps. W. Mooney, Decd.—Letting of 300 Acres Grazing, in usual divisions. Sale 12.30 o'clock.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF PRIME LAND, WITH EXCELLENT 2-STOREY RESIDENCE AND OUT-OFFICES, PURCHASED UNDER THE LAND ACT.
CAMERON LODGE, RAHENY.
Within a short distance of Raheny Railway Station and only 4 miles from Dublin, via Coolock.

P. O'CONNOR and SON are favoured with instructions from T. O'Neill, Esq. (who is about residing elsewhere), TO SELL BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY, 7th NOVEMBER, at their Estate Salerooms, 49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN, all the Interest and Goodwill in above attractive Holding, containing about 39 Statute Acres, all in grass, purchased under the Land Act, 1903, subject to terminable annuity of £90 0s. 2d. As showing the valuable interest there is in this farm the land has been let for grazing purposes for the present season at over £300.
Messrs. MILEY and MILEY, Solicitors, 12 South Frederick street, Dublin.

RATHBANE and KILTEEL, CO. KILDARE.
IMPORTANT LETTING OF LAND FOR GRAZING PURPOSES, HAY IN COCK; also TREES, consisting of ASH, BEECH, and ELM.

P. O'CONNOR and SON are favoured with instructions from W. Claxton, Esq., TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Lands, as above, on WEDNESDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, at 12.30 o'clock, 100 Acres Prime Land, with plenty of keep, in one or two divisions; 60 Field Cocks of excellent Hay, made up without rain, and 80 Trees, consisting of Ash, Elm, Beech, etc.

PATRICK O'CONNOR & SON,
Auctioneers, Valuers, etc.,
49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN.

EXECUTORS' SALE.
PRIME FATTENING FARM,
HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE,
NEWTOWNMOYAGHEY,
KILCOCK,

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION at this Office, On TO-DAY (THURSDAY), OCT. 24, AT 2 O'CLOCK.

This Prime Farm of 111a. 3r. 34p., S.M., held subject to a low Land Commission annuity of £96 12s. 4d. (P.L.V. £133), is situate adjoining the Town of Kilcock, and forms a most desirable investment. It is well watered and fenced, and can be let for grazing to show a PROFIT OF OVER £300 A YEAR. Possession will be given on the 2nd January, 1919, and all outgoings will be paid to date of closing.

Particulars from MAXWELL, WELDON, and CO., 40 North Great George's street; or

LEONARD, SON & CO., LTD.,
17 LR. DOMINICK STREET, DUBLIN.

POPPINTREE, FINGLAS, CO. DUBLIN.
CLEARANCE SALE OF
HORSES, CATTLE, PIGS, FARM IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

JOHN P. CUFFE has received instructions from P. Lightfoot, Esq. (who has disposed of his Farm), TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT ABOVE, On WEDNESDAY, 30th OCTOBER, 1918, At 12 o'clock sharp commencing with the Live Stock, THE ENTIRE FARM IMPLEMENTS, HORSES, CATTLE, etc., which are all of the best description, and put together with the Owner's usual good taste and regardless of cost, as follows:—

HORSES.

1 Bay Mare, 5 yrs. old. (by Mr. O'Malley's Horse)	1 Bay Mare, 9 yrs. old.
1 Bay Horse, 6 yrs. old. (by Mr. O'Malley's Horse)	1 Bay Mare, 6 yrs. old.
1 Chestnut Horse, 6 yrs. old.	1 Grey Mare, 8 yrs. old.
1 Brown Mare, 5 yrs. old.	1 Brown Horse, 5 yrs. old.
1 Bay Mare, 5 yrs. old.	1 Bay Horse, 7 yrs. old.
1 Chestnut Mare, 7 yrs. old.	1 Colt (by "Ironstone"), 2 yrs. old.
1 Pony (5 yrs.), Market Cart and Harness.	1 Pony, 3½ yrs. old.

1 Pony, Trap and Harness.
All the above are in hard-fed condition and in constant work up to date.

PIGS.
Six young Sows, in young to Mr. Eustace's Boar. Twelve young Bonhams.

CATTLE.
20 Bullocks, 3½ yrs. — 6 Heifers.
33 Bullocks, 2½ yrs. — 2 Cows.
13 Bullocks, 2 yrs.

CARTS.—7 Scotch Carts, 5 County Dublin Carts, 1 Float (new), 2 Puncheons.

HARNESS.—13 Sets Harness, 4 Neck Ties, 2 Pairs Rope Traces, 4 Head Collars, 5 Nose Bags, 5 Pairs Back Bands, 5 Pairs Plough Reins, 6 Cart Ropes, 1 Set Training Tackle, Bits and Mouthings, 2 Pairs Machine Straps, 1 Pair of Hobbles.

FARM IMPLEMENTS, etc.—2 Single Furrow Ploughs (Ransome), 1 Plough (Howarde), 1 Double Plough (Ransome), 1 Double Plough (Hornsby), 1 Seed Plough (Pierce), 1 Chain Harrow, 2 3-pt. Harrows, 1 Grubber, 1 Spring-tooth Harrow, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Seed Harrow (Doyle), 1 4-Horse Grubber, 2 Drill Grubbers, 1 small Grubber, 1 Harrow (Pierce Victor), 1 Binder (Massey Harris), 1 Corn Drill (Massey Harris), 1 Pierce Horse Sprayer (5 drills), 1 Tub, 2 Weighing Scales and Weights, 2 Barrels, Buckets, 1 Mower and Reaper (Pierce), 1 Hay Collector, 1 Pulper (Doyle), 1 Pulper (Bamford), 1 Blackstone Swathe Turner, 1 Potato Digger, 1 Field Rake (Ransome), 1 Bogie, 1 Winnowing Machine and Sieves for same, 2 Drill Rollers, 2 Field Rollers, 6 Sets of Swings, 3 Scythes and Grinder, 4 Mattocks, 2 Crowbars, 2,000 Potato Sprouting Boxes, 8 Wooden Gates, 4 Window Frames and Glass, 2,000 Drain Pipes, 2" and 3"; 20 lengths 9" Drain Pipes, 1 Hand Truck, 2 Wheelbarrows, 2 large Water Barrels, 3 long Ladders, 2 short Ladders, 1 Double Ladder, 6 Wooden Trestles, 1 Cart Rest, 1 Sand Screen, 1 Grinding Stone, 1 Garden Water Barrow, 1 Garden Roller, Anvil, Vice, and Bench, 9 Water Tubs, 2 Potato Boilers, 16 Wooden Feeding Troughs, 4 Earthen Feeding Troughs, 2 Sheep Racks, 2 Mixing Tubs, 3 large Grain Tubs, 5 small Grain Tubs, 1 Single Boiler, 2 Portable Boilers, 2 large Oat Bins, Hay Knife, Wire Strainer, 15 cwts. of Basic Slag, Roofing Tiles, Gutters, Iron Stays, 12 cwt. Baskets, Yard Lamps, Oil Cans, Galvanised Iron, Scaffolding Poles, Scrap Iron, quantity of useful Timber, Kitchen Utensils, and several other articles too numerous to mention.

JOHN P. CUFFE.

BEALINSTOWN, BALLYBOGHILL, CO. DUBLIN.
SALE OF PRIME GRAZING FARM

JOHN P. CUFFE has been favoured with instructions from Charles McCulloch, Esq. (owing to ill-health), to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 1.30 o'clock, at 73 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, the above well-known Farm, containing 100 Acres 1 Rood, Statute measure (or thereabouts). Held under judicial tenancy, under Order of the Irish Land Commission, dated 25th January, 1910, at the yearly rent of £76 15/-. P.L.V., £77 5/-.

The Lands are of Prime Fattening quality, all in grass, well watered and sheltered, and situate 8 miles from Dublin Cattle Market.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. W. FINDLATER and Co., Solicitors, 53 Dame street, Dublin.

JOHN P. CUFFE.

GRAZING LETTINGS
FOR THE SEASON 1918-1919.

WHITESTOWN, OLDTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.—For Bernard Ward, Esq.—200 Acres Prime Grazing Land, in divisions, on Monday next, October 28th, at 1.30 o'clock.

WYANSTOWN, OLDTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.—For R. J. Rooney, Esq.—60 Acres Prime Grazing, in divisions, same day (October 28th), at 3 o'clock.

THE GRALLAGH, OLDTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.—For T. Monks, Esq.—150 Acres Prime Grazing, in divisions, on Monday, November 4th, 1918, at One o'clock.

LISPOPPLE, SWORDS, CO. DUBLIN.—For E. McCormick, Esq.—100 Acres Prime Grazing, in divisions, same day (November 4th), at 2.30 o'clock.

COLDWINTERS, LUSK, CO. DUBLIN.—O'Brien Estate—60 Acres Prime Grazing, in divisions, on Friday, 8th November, 1918, at One o'clock.

JOHN P. CUFFE.
Auctioneer, Valuer, and Live Stock Salesman,
73 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.
Phone—4840. Wires—"Bullocks, Dublin."

MacARTHUR'S AUCTIONS FOR THIS WEEK.

FURNITURE TO-DAY (THURSDAY), 24th OCT., AT "GALTEE," 52 LINDSAY RD., GLASNEVIN (12 o'c.).

HOUSE PROPERTY TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), 25th OCT.,

AT SALEROOMS, 79 TALBOT ST. (One o'c.).

1 TO 3 ARDBROUGH VILLAS, DALKEY. Five pretty little Seaside Houses on Ardbrough rd. Let at £20 and £28. No ground rent. Lease for ever. Sell in lots.

158, 159, 160, 161, 162 NORTH STRAND ROAD. Executor's Sale. Five excellent Private Houses. Each let at £40. Ground rent, £26 5/8 (entire). Held for ever. Sell in lots.

5 CHARLEMONT TERRACE, CLONTARF. On Malahide road, opposite Marino Demesne, near tram line. Nice medium-sized House. 5 rooms, bath, garden 110 feet. Ground rent £2. 80 years. Newly done up. Clear possession.

19 AND 20 GERALDINE STREET. Off Berkeley road. 2 Desirable Cottage Residences. Each let at £30. Ground rent, £2 10/-. 400 years.

41 MOUNTJOY SQUARE. Fine old City Mansion, presently let in flats, yielding £145 yearly. Ground rent only £7 7/-. 890 years.

1, 2, 3, AND 4 BELLA PL., UPR. BUCKINGHAM ST. Compact Cottage Property, held for ever indemnified against all ground rent. Gross rental £41 12/-.

6 NORTH RICHMOND STREET. Comfortable House, good handy position, 8 rooms, large yard. Let in flats, producing £58 10/-. Ground rent £6 10/-. Lease 890 years.

26 UPPER DORSET STREET. Substantial House, gross rental £101 16 8. Ground rent £4 18 3. Lease for ever.

35, 36 NEWMARKET ST., 194 COOMBE ST. 2 Profitable Houses and Cottage. Estimated gross rental £78. Ground rent £12 (entire). 200 years.

MacARTHUR & CO.,
79 TALBOT STREET.
"WE SELL HOUSES." "WE SELL FURNITURE."

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
38-39 SOUTH GT. GEORGE'S ST.

Dalkey, Sorrento Road—SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE FOR SALE, with possession; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, servant's room, kitchen, hot bath; garden. Price £600. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

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RANELAGH—Advertisements "Prepaid" for "Irish Times" can be handed in at Miss Quinn's Newsagency up to 8 p.m. (Sundays excepted) for insertion in following day's Paper.

SERVANTS wanting suitable lodgings, moderate, apply Mrs. Eldon, 4 Meagal Cottages.

TWO Ladies can have well Furnished, large Bedroom and Sittingroom, full board, good cooking, South side, 30/- each per week.—D 1022, this office.

TO Let, comfortably Furnished, Bright Apartments, bath, gas cooker; partial board if required; terms moderate; also two large Unfurnished Rooms; use of kitchen. Apply 48 Summerville Park, Rathmines.

UNFURNISHED self contained Flat, newly decorated, gas cookers, Pembroke st.—D 1534, this office.

4 GENTLEMEN can have Board Residence, £1 4 weekly.—1 South Circular road.

25 SANDYMOUNT road—Bedroom, use Sittingroom.

40 DARTMOUTH square—Bed and Sittingroom, suit gentleman dining out.

46 WATERLOO road—Comfortable Apartments; superior Board if required; bath, good cooking.

APARTMENTS WANTED.

A LADY requires Board Residence in a lady's house in Dublin or outside; no other guests.—"Z 414, Residence," this office.

AN Officer, single, desires homelike Board Residence, of a refined social character, in Dublin, neighbourhood Palmerston Park or Rathmines preferred.—D 1009, this office.

BRIGHT comfortable Combined Room Required by Lady; attendance; select. Protestant; references.—R O 209, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

FURNISHED Flat required immediately, with attendance; South side preferred.—703, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

LADY wants Bedroom, use of Sittingroom, with or without attendance. North side.—D 983, this office.

LADY wants Sittingroom and Bedroom, newly furnished, in quiet house, Rathgar or Rathmines; Protestants.—D 885, this office.

LADY wants well Furnished Front Combined Room or Sittingroom and Bedroom.—D 878, this office.

OFFICER'S Wife wants Flat, Furnished or Unfurnished, two rooms, kitchen, other business premises in city.—D 1083, this office.

REQUIRED by Gentleman, R.C., in Terenure or neighbourhood, Combined Room, dining out, bath; state terms, moderate.—D 1100, this office.

TWO Gentlemen require Double Bedded Room and Sittingroom, South side.—D 900, this office.

WANTED immediately, two Unfurnished Rooms, nice locality.—R O 203, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, Flat or House, unfurnished, 7 rooms, kitchen, Dublin City or suburbs.—Mrs. Marlow, Tipperary.

WANTED, Unfurnished Room, ground floor, Amiens st., North Strand, Fairview vicinity.—D 1042, this office.

WANTED, good Combined Room, young man dining out; state terms.—D 1086, this office.

WANTED, two Bedrooms, Sittingroom, comfortable, homely house; Clontarf or Donnybrook; terms if comfortable.—D 1095, this office.

YOUNG Lady (Protestant), dining out, requires Sittingroom and Bedroom, with attendance, permanent if comfortable; Rathgar or Ballsbridge.—D 886, this office.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.
HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

BUNGALOW (Furnished), six bedrooms, two reception; five acres; cob and trap left, 5 miles from Bray, 12 from Dublin. Apply Mrs. Newson, Bank House, Bray.

BRAY—£40 free, Fontenoy terrace; 6 apartments, electric light, sheltered position on Esplanade; no basement.—Battersby, Westmoreland st.

ESPLANADE terrace, Bray—£65 free, splendid House, 9 apartments, hot bath, electric light, let locally summer season.—Battersby, Westmoreland st.

FRESHLY decorated Furnished House, facing sea, Kingstown, to Let; eight rooms, bathroom, splendid hot water system, gas.—D 924, this office.

ROSTREVOR—To Let, easily Furnished Bungalow; terms very moderate for winter months.—Tavish, Warrenpoint.

ST. Aubyn's, Southhill avenue, Booterstown—Attractive Detached Residence, southern aspect, newly decorated, Venetian blinds, and gas fittings throughout; £85, free; three reception rooms, four bedrooms, servant's room, bath (h. and c.); lawn tennis, stable, coach-house, kitchen garden. Caretaker. Apply Mr. Kilbee, Four Courts Hotel, Dublin.

THREE roomed Furnished Cottage, Wicklow; cheap winter months.—Cottage, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

TO Let, well Furnished House; tram line; 3 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, gas throughout.—X 20, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

BLACKROCK—Young Lady wants comfortable Room, or would share Sittingroom, in pleasant companionship; terms moderate, to include fire, light, and attendance.—"Z 417, Rooms," this office.

BLACKROCK vicinity—Young Lady wishes to go as Paying Guest in respectable Roman Catholic family; permanent if suitable.—"Z 414, Guest," this office.

CLARINDA Park—Large Furnished Flat Vacant; bath, attendance.—R. South Bateman's, Kingstown.

DALKEY—To Let, Furnished, 3 Apartments and kitchen; 17/6 weekly.—90, Irish Times Office, Ranelagh.

INVALIDS—Nurse's Private House, sea grounds, beautiful views; food best; every comfort.—D 1016, this office.

LADY, having private house, sea and mountain situation, Let Rooms or take Paying Guests.—D 882, this office.

MEATH Hunt—Lady would receive one or two Paying Guests; house close to town, station, stands in 25 acres ground; own butter, eggs, vegetables, milk; references given and required.—"Z 406, Guests," this office.

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MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, &C.

EXPERT Agriculturist intends Farming on company lines; Wanted Persons, with capital, to take shares.—"Z 234, Expert," this office.

HOW to Purchase a Fire per cent Guaranteed Investment, coupled with free insurance.—D 774, this office. 12 21

DENTISTRY.

DENTIST MacDonnell attends daily 10 till 7; Saturdays, 10 to 1.—67 Grafton st., over Woolworth's Stores.

MESSRS. F. and A. Nicholson have now removed to their Permanent Premises, 41 Henry st., corner Moore st.

PAINLESS American Dentistry—Mr. Henry J. Bray may be consulted personally at his only address, 78 Harcourt st. Established 1881.

MISCELLANEOUS.

AT SHARPLEY'S, the Baby Linen Specialists—Ladies invited write for catalogue Baby Linen, Skirts, Clothing, Maternity, Accouchement, Nursery Requisites, Nassau st., Lower Camden st. Established 50 years.

ALL Sure Sweep Result of Irish 45140, Widow's 395, Mohawk 4615, Knight of Munster 1097, Kate's Brother 1767, Kingston Bell 157, The Vic 1240, Good and Plenty 1499, Golden Grain, Queen Bee 1007, Vagabond 1785, Knox Boy 1766, The Field 325, Pastures New 950, Sea Satin, Prince Nat 4467, Lady Jimsen 4850, Nassau Lad 5140, Philander 3369, Holy Moses 3030, Sandfield 1760, Augur 4700, St. Natia 3853, Worthy Bill 4138, Matoppo 2667, Attains. Unclaimed 1918 will be published on Saturday.

BRADLEY'S Boot Shop, 23 Nassau st.—Ladies' Brown and Tonev Willow Derby Shoes, round toe, all sizes, 30/-, postage paid.

BRADLEY'S, Nassau st.—Ladies' Grey Suede Slippers, with felt and leather soles, dark bars, checks, 5/11, postage paid; all sizes.

BRADLEY'S Boot Shop—Gentlemen's all Patent Glacé or Glace Kid Pumps, hand sewn, sizes and half sizes, 21/-, postage paid.

BRADLEY'S, Nassau st.—Children's Black or Brown Box Derby Boots, sizes 4-6 8/11, 7-8 9/11, postage paid; extra wide fitting.

BRADLEY'S—Children's White Gymnasium Shoes, sizes 8's to 1's, 3/9, postage paid.

BRADLEY'S—Ladies' War Time Shoes, black Box Gibson, round toe, Cuban heels, 16/- and 18/-, all sizes and half sizes.

BRADLEY'S Boot Shop, Dublin—Ladies' Brown and Mahogany Willow Calf Derby Shoes, Cuban or flat heels, 45/-.

BRADLEY'S Boot Shop, Dublin—Ladies' Overshoes with special thick soles, sizes 3 to 7, 6/11, postage paid; 50 pairs only.

BRADLEY'S—Children's Brown Glace Lace Button Boots, flexible soles, extra fitting, 4-6 10/6, 7-8 12/6, postage paid.

BRADLEY'S, Nassau st.—Ladies' Black Suede Oxford Shoes, short vamp, high Cuban heel, straight cut, 27/6, postage paid; all sizes.

FALSE Teeth Bought—Cash or offer by return; before selling make sure of their value by writing for booklet, which explains every-day value of all kinds of Artificial Teeth, Old Gold and Silver.—E. Lewis, 29 London st., Southport, Lancs.

HOW to Get Eggs—A Dublin Man, who ran a poultry farm for pullets in nine months explains in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day the methods by which he established this record.

SINN Fein Rebellion Handbook, 1917 Issue, compiled by "Weekly Irish Times," now on Sale, One Shilling; by post 1/4.

THE Newbridge Demesne, Donabate, is Poisoned with further notice.

6/6 POSTAGE Paid—Ladies' Black Velvet Court Shoes, round toes, Cuban heels; all sizes.—Bradley's, Boot Shop, 23 Nassau st.

6/6 POSTAGE Paid—Ladies' Cloth Gaiters, Black, Navy, Brown, Grey, Fawn, all sizes, height 8½ inches.—Bradley's, 23 Nassau st.

25/- POSTAGE Paid—Ladies' Black Glace Kid Laced Shoes, Cuban heels, welted, half sizes.—Bradley's Boot Shop, 23 Nassau st.

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